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PANIC ON BOARD THE ANCONA CAUSED LOSS OF MANY PASSENGERS

Austrian Submarine Gave Warning, But Continued Firing Around Steamer.

STORY OF SURVIVORS

Several Overfilled Boats were Overturned, Many Occupants Being Drowned.

Passengers Were Mostly Italians and Greeks.

London, Nov. 11. — The Italian steamer Ancona was not sunk without warning, according to information obtained from survivors landed at Malta by the Reuter correspondent and cabled here. The Austrian submarine which overhauled her, after a long stern chase, gave the commander a brief respite to permit the removal of passengers, but the indescribable panic which began among the immigrants on board, as soon as the underwater craft was sighted, was responsible for the loss of many lives. In a mad rush for safety, men, women and children overwhelmed the boats, several of which were overturned before they could be lowered. Many of the occupants fell into the sea and were drowned.

Shots Added to Panic.

Passengers say, the correspondent says, that shots fired around the steamer by the submarine, apparently to hasten the loading of the boats, added to the panic.

The Reuter dispatch, which contains the first connected story of the sinking of the Ancona Monday afternoon, 20 hours after she had left Messina, Sicily, follows:

"We left Naples with a fairly large number of passengers, intending to sail direct to New York, but soon after leaving port received a wireless message directing us to stop at Messina for more passengers and cargo. The people aboard were mostly Greeks and Italians with large families on their way to the United States to settle there. The majority, therefore, were women and children.

Took All Possible Precautions.

"We left Messina at 5 p. m. The captain having been warned of the presence of enemy submarines, took all possible precautions. At exactly 1 o'clock Monday afternoon we sighted an enemy submarine at a great distance. She came to the surface and made full speed in our direction firing a shot which went wide over our bow. We took this to be a warning to halt.

"Immediately there was the wildest panic aboard not only among the women and children but among the men as well. Women screamed and children clung desperately to their mothers. Meanwhile the submarine continued to shell us, gaining rapidly. The fifth shot carried away the chart house.

"The engines then were stopped and the Ancona came slowly to a standstill. The submarine, which we could now see plainly was an Austrian, came alongside. We heard the commander talking to our captain. In a somewhat curt manner we were told the Austrian had given a few minutes to abandon the ship. Meanwhile the submarine withdrew a little distance.

Rush for the Boats.

"We turned to the boats which began to be lowered without loss of time but the passengers were in a pandemonium. Men, women and children seemed to lose their heads completely. The submarine, presumably to accelerate our departure, continued to fire around the vessel. There was a rush for the first boats lowered and in the confusion these were overturned before they were free from the davits, the occupants falling into the water. Many were drowned before our eyes.

"The shrieks of women, children and struggling men rent the air but it seemed no help could be given. Everyone was trying to act for himself. The heart-rending screams were punctuated with shot after shot delivered almost mechanically from the deck of the submarine, adding to the panic aboard. Had it not been for these shots it might have been possible to restore a semblance of order. The conduct of the submarine was incomprehensible. Not one shot was directed at the ship, but they were fired all around the vessel as if to create as much terror as possible.

"About eight boats got away clear, some with a fair complement aboard, others half empty. All drifted from each other."

GET MANY INQUIRIES.

Ancona's Agents at New York Yet Have No Details of Sinking.

New York, Nov. 11. — Although a score of inquiries came to the offices of the Italian Line today concerning persons thought to have sailed on the steamship Ancona, which was sunk after she had sailed from Naples, the

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SOUTHERN MEDICAL CONVENTION ENDS

Final Session Featured by a Discussion on Pellagra.

ITS CAUSE AND ITS CURE

Dr. Robert Wilson, Jr., of Charleston, Elected President—Atlanta Selected for Meeting Next Year —Other Officers.

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 11.—Sharp differences of opinion as to the cause and treatment of pellagra marked the final symposium of the Southern Medical Association, which concluded its annual convention here today. The dietary theory, recently advanced by Dr. Joseph Goldberger, of the United States Public Health Service, was the principal subject of discussion and news reports of his work appearing in the press were criticised as misleading.

Several physicians said newspapers had printed headlines that a cure had been found, but that Dr. Goldberger had not announced anything more than a "very good treatment for the disease, possibly the best treatment yet known."

Dr. Wilson President.

Dr. Robert Wilson, Jr., of Charleston, S. C., was elected president of the association at today's business session and Atlanta, Ga., was selected as the next place of meeting.

Resolutions adopted include recommendations that the number of medical officers in the regular military establishment of the United States should equal at least seventy-five hundredths of one per cent. of the enlisted strength or such numbers as the surgeon general deems necessary.

Dr. Allen W. Freeman, of the United States Public Health Service, read to the pellagra symposium a copy of the diet which, he said, Dr. Goldberger found had a tendency to produce pellagra. Dr. Freeman pointed out that it was almost the identical diet of every person of poor means in the South, and appealed to the physicians to accept for their own experiment the treatment Dr. Goldberger has demonstrated.

Would Restore Wastage.

Dr. Stewart L. Roberts, of Atlanta, said that as pellagra is a wasting disease, a diet including such foods as peas, beans and fresh meats, which were among the articles recommended by Dr. Goldberger, would tend toward relief for the reason that they are rich in the elements necessary to restore wastage. "However," he said, "we should have much more evidence than that yet submitted to prove Dr. Goldberger's theory of diet."

Dr. Roberts added that he did not believe it possible to say a pellagra patient had recovered until the passage of at least three years, during which time no symptom of the disease appeared. He thought that when the cause of pellagra is discovered it will be either a parasite or a poison.

Dr. Allen Eustis, of New Orleans, said that while at first he had doubted the diet treatment, he had become a "convert" after a talk with Dr. Goldberger.

Dr. W. L. Allison, of Fort Worth, chairman of the Texas state committee for the study of pellagra, asserted that the dietary theory would not explain all cases. Pellagra had been known to develop where there was no fault with the diet, he said.

Protest against headlines which have appeared in Southern newspapers was made by Dr. Joseph A. Hayne, of Columbia, S. C., Dr. Hayne contended that Dr. Goldberger does not claim that diet is the cause of pellagra in the sense that published reports indicated.

Tuberculosis in Children.

Under the topic, "Bronchial Gland Tuberculosis," Dr. Mary Lapham, of Highlands, N. C., spoke in regard to tuberculosis in children. She said that the infection would lodge in these glands during childhood and remain dormant there for years, even until adult life, before spreading to the lungs.

Dr. Thompson Frazier, of Asheville, N. C., discussing the value of rest and exercise, warned physicians against the danger of incautious use of exercise. He said that a little over exertion might set back a patient's recovery for months and even years.

The eye, ear, nose and throat section elected Dr. J. W. Jervey, Greenville, S. C., chairman; Dr. T. W. Moore, Huntington, W. Va., vice chairman; and Dr. W. T. Patton, New Orleans, secretary.

The medical section of the association elected Dr. K. H. Beall, Fort Worth, Texas, chairman; Dr. F. C. Moor, Tallahassee, Fla., vice chairman, and Dr. Thompson Frazer, Asheville, N. C., secretary.

Dr. J. H. Blackburn, Bowling Green, Ky., was elected chairman of the surgical section, Dr. F. Webb Griffith, Asheville, N. C., vice chairman, and Dr. Lucien H. Landry, New Orleans, secretary.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—The meeting of Federal League magnates which began at Indianapolis Tuesday continued here today. It was declared no progress toward peace with "organized baseball" had been made.

ROOSEVELT'S NAME GETS IN TESTIMONY

Assured Mellen He Needn't Fear Federal Action.

BUT TO REJECT MORSE

Roosevelt Thought it Would Be Inimical to Public Interest for Morse to Secure New Haven Properties, Mellen Said.

New York, Nov. 11.—Former President Roosevelt was brought into the testimony today at the trial of the eleven former New York, New Haven & Hartford directors charged with violating the Sherman law, as having given assurance to Charles S. Mellen that the New Haven need have no fear of Federal action during Roosevelt's administration if it rejected a proposition to dispose of its steamship properties to Charles W. Morse.

The testimony, given by Mr. Mellen, was adduced by the government to show that Mr. Mellen nevertheless recommended the sale of the properties and that the New Haven directors in pursuance of their alleged purpose to maintain a monopoly of the transportation traffic of New England, declined to consider their president's recommendation.

Inimical to Public Interest.

While it was a twice-told tale, as Mr. Mellen gave his testimony at the Interstate Commerce Commission inquiry into New Haven affairs, Mr. Mellen added to it today by saying that Mr. Roosevelt felt that it would be inimical to public interest for Morse to consummate his purpose of getting control of the New Haven properties, and that Commissioners Knapp and Prouty and Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, held the same opinion.

The government, however, placed emphasis on that portion of the witness' testimony in which he quoted Colonel Roosevelt, as saying: "I am no lawyer and I can promise you no immunity if you violate the law."

Morse in January, 1907, according to Mellen, had offered to buy the New Haven Steamship lines for $20,000,000, which would have been a profit of $14,000,000 on their cost. Mellen thought the New Haven ought to take advantage of the opportunity inasmuch as the question was being agitated in Congress of requiring railroad lines to divorce themselves from ownership of steamship lines. He said he went to Washington and explained the situation to the President in the presence of Messrs. Knapp, Prouty and Smith.

Wanted to Protect Himself.

"I was fearful," he added, "that if this legislation should be passed, it might come at a time when there would be no purchaser for the properties and we would have them on our hands. I wanted to protect myself."

The President after declining to promise immunity, said, according to Mellen: "But if you don't sell, you'll have no trouble during my administration."

"I didn't see then and I don't see now," continued Mr. Mellen, "that he didn't act from the highest dictates of public duty. He said that Morse's

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ARMY AVIATION CAMP FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Will Be Similar to the One at Plattsburgh, N. Y.

Major General Wood Announces It Will be Established Early Next Spring. Addresses V. M. I. Alumni at Richmond.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 11.—Major General Leonard Wood, commander of the Department of the East, tonight announced that a military camp of instruction for aviation would be established in North Carolina early next year. The camp will be similar to the one operated at Plattsburg, N. Y., last summer.

General Wood delivered an address before the Richmond Alumni of Virginia Military Institute at the observance of the 77th anniversary of the foundation of that school. He advised graduates of the school to be ready for service in the United States army when called upon, and discussed the plans to increase the number of officers in the regular service. He stressed the importance of military schools and suggested courses of a military nature in academic instructions. More liberal support of the national guard and the adoption of the Swiss and Austrian systems of military training in the United States was urged.

Representatives of the press were barred while General Wood made his address. Senator Thomas S. Martin, who was to have made an address, was called to Washington this afternoon.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The bill providing for the New French loan was introduced in the chamber of deputies today by Finance Minister Ribot. The rate of interest is fixed at 5 per cent, but the price of issue and the period of subscription are left to be fixed by government decree.

MERCHANT MARINE A VITAL NECESSITY

Redfield Addresses Deeper Waterways Convention.

ON NATION'S COMMERCE

Says Merchant Marine Controlled Solely for American Commerce is Very Essential for Country's Future Welfare.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 11. — A merchant marine controlled in the sole interest of the movement of American commerce as a whole was declared a vital necessity to the future welfare of the United States, by Secretary of Commerce Redfield, here today, in his address before the convention of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association. The Secretary of Commerce departed from his subject, "The Relation of Waterways to Commerce," long enough to reply briefly to an attack on the new Seamen's law, made yesterday by Edward F. McSweeney, chairman of the directors of the port of Boston.

He said statistics quoted by Mr. McSweeney were not up to date and did not show the true status of American overseas commerce, and asserted that more capital had been invested in the last six months in American shipping than in the three previous years combined. Mr. McSweeney had charged the Seamen's law would injure American commerce and aid foreign shippers.

Discussing the importance of a larger merchant marine, Secretary Redfield said:

"The mind of America is awake to the fact that we must have our place upon the sea; the means of delivery must be within our own control. We can no longer depend upon those who would let us hire their ships for our purposes, but whose needs may at any time make it undesirable for them to continue to permit us to use their vessels as we wish."

A dress parade of coast artillery troops stationed at Fort Screven, Tybee Island, and mortar battery practice were withnessed by the delegates this afternoon. At the night session the delegates heard an address on the "Atlantic Coastal Project," by Frederi-

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War News at a Glance

The British prime minister has reiterated in the House of Commons his statement that Lord Kitchener has never tendered his resignation as Secretary for War to the king or the premier, "the only two persons to whom he could have tendered it." "Serious information," the nature of which the premier did not disclose, had impelled the government to send Lord Kitchener to the Near East.

The young men of England are warned by the Earl of Derby, who has under his direction recruiting for the British armies, that if they do not come forward voluntarily before November 30 for enlistment, unless it can be shown that they are indispensable in their present employment, the government will take compulsory means to secure their services under the colors.

The British House of Commons has agreed to a new note of credit for war purposes amounting to $2,000,000,000.

The Austro-Germans in northern Serbia are still operating successfully against the Serbs, while in the south the British in the region of Strumitza, the French around Veles and southward from that point, and the Montenegrins in the east, are holding the Bulgarians and Austrians in their attempts to advance. Near Veles the Bulgarians are said to have asked for a cessation in the fighting for the burial of dead and the collecting of the wounded.

Mining operations on the western front in France have been continued against German positions, while the Entente Allies' guns in the region of Loos have answered a heavy cannonade by the Germans.

In the region of the Somme, French mines shattered German galleries, blew up a German post and destroyed a German mine chamber which was being charged for use in counter mining operations. Damage also was done by sappers to German positions in the Argonne, where the French blew up a trench.

The Germans in the coast region of Russia have withdrawn from the forests west and southwest of Shlok, the maneuver being due, according to Berlin, to the rains having turned the territory into a swamp.

To the southeast and west of Riga, the Russians took the offensive, but were repulsed. In the fighting in the latter sector the Russians were supported by the guns from the ships in the Baltic.

Further south, the Russians are declared to have been driven out of Koscuschnovka, north of the Kovel-Sarny railway.

Switzerland will remove from her own frontiers November 17 a considerable portion of her forces, being convinced that there will be no territorial violations by the belligerents.

A state of siege it is officially announced, will be declared November 15 in several of the communes in Holland, particularly in the north. The reason for this step has not been made public.

BOMB EXPLODED ON STEAMER LIVIETTA

Italian Commander Says Concussion Was Terrific.

NO SMOKE PRECEDED IT

Explosion Occurred Sixty-Five Miles Off Texas Coast Tuesday Afternoon —Vessel Sank After Being Towed to Shoals.

Port Arthur, Texas, Nov. 11.—The fire aboard the Italian steamship Livietta, which sailed from here Tuesday for Buenos Aires with a cargo of case oil, was caused by the explosion of a bomb placed in the cargo, according to a statement issued here today by Captain R. Rico, commander of the vessel. Captain Rico's statement was made public after he had consulted with the Italian consul here and was concurred in by other officers of the steamer.

The statement declared the explosion, which occurred at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when the Livietta was about 65 miles off Sabine bar, was terrific and the concussion shook the vessel from stem to stern. The second engineer was hurled across the engine room and severely bruised, it was said, and every lamp chimney aboard the vessel was shattered. Men on deck declared no smoke preceded the explosion.

The crew remained aboard until 5 plosion, the boats were lowered and the steamer abandoned.

The Livietta today was towed to the shoals east of Sabine jettys, where it sank in thirty feet of water, according to information reaching here tonight.

BELIEVE ZELANDIA WAS NOT IN PORT, WHEN SEARCHED

Information Leads British to Believe She Was on High Seas.

Washington, Nov. 11. — British authorities here investigating the reported forcible search of the American steamer Zealandia at Progreso, Mexico, by a party from a British cruiser, have information which leads them to believe the Zealandia when searched was lying more than three miles off shore and was, therefore, not in a neutral port, but on the high seas. They are investigating further and the State Department is making inquiries.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 11. — The American steamer Zealandia, reported as forcibly searched recently at Progreso, Mexico, by officers of a British cruiser, was at anchor five miles off Progreso on November 3, and unable to enter the shallow harbor because of her draft, according to Captain J. Menander, of the tank steamer Mexicano, in port here.

San Juan, P. R., Nov. 11.—Announcement that there is no yellow fever in Porto Rico was made here by Maj. Gen. William C. Gorgas at the close of an investigation into the conditions which he conducted under directions from the War Department.

CAUSE AND CURE FOR PELLAGRA ANNOUNCED

Health Service Formally Lets Discovery be Known.

Dietary Tests Have Proven, Says Statement, That Unbalanced Diet is the Cause and That Balanced Diet Will Cure.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Discovery of the cause of and cure for pellagra was announced formally tonight by the Public Health Service. The announcement follows the recent publication of a report by Surgeon Joseph Goldberger on a year of experiments in co-operation with Southern state health officials demonstrating the correctness of the theory that one-sided diet lacking in proteids would cause the disease and that a well balanced diet would cure it.

"The spread of this dread malady, which has been increasing in the United States at a terrific rate during the past few years, may now be checked and eventually eradicated," said the Service statement. "It is estimated that 75,000 cases of the disease will have occurred in the United States in 1915, and of this number at least 7,500 will have died before the end of the year. In many sections only tuberculosis and pneumonia exceed it as a cause of death."

The final dietary tests were made by Surgeon Goldberger and Assistant Surgeon G. A. Wheeler at the farm of the Mississippi penitentiary where half a dozen convicts were given pellagra by feeding them for five months on bountiful meals consisting chiefly of cereals and sweets and lacking in meats, milk, eggs, peas and beans. The victims were recently were pardoned by the governor and are now being restored to health through a corrected diet.

In early experiments about 200 pellagra patients had been cured by balanced rations, and at the end of a year there had been a slight recurrence of the disease in only one instance.

STRONG ATTACK ON KITCHENER MADE IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

Arthur Lynch Declared War is Being Conducted With Signal Incompetence

A CHANGE OR DISASTER

Balfour Says Nothing Can be Gained by Such an Attack as Lynch Made.

London, Nov. 11.—Arthur Lynch, Nationalist member from West-Clare, during the debate in the House of Commons today, contended that the war was being conducted with signal incompetence and unless there was a change the country was moving straight to disaster. He strongly attacked Lord Kitchener, who, he said, had blundered in not moving to the defense of Liege, again on the question of munitions, and once again in Serbia. "The blunder in the Dardanelles," Mr. Lynch added, "was at least a blunder of a man who meant to do something."

Mr. Lynch said he would sweep away 70 per cent of the higher British command, beginning with Field Marshal French, who had been in command 15 months and had made no progress. In the last offensive, continued Mr. Lynch, the Allies broke through the German lines, but in the superior command decision was wanting to take full advantage of the moral victory. The government, he declared, had no plan of campaign. The idea of a successful attrition was absurd. The war must be won in the field. The men were good and munitions were there. It was leadership and direction which were lacking.

Dissatisfaction in Air Service.

William Joynson-Hicks, member for the Brentford division of Middlesex, drew attention to the condition of the Royal Flying corps and the naval air service. He said there was great dissatisfaction in connection with the naval air service in regard to the organization and the appointment of a chief, who knew nothing about aircraft, above the heads of those who in fact had built up the fabric of the service.

It was important, added the member, that England should have large, new aeroplanes for the offensive next spring, in order to meet the new airships and new aeroplanes which the Germans were building. He asked why work on an English Zeppelin had been stopped in January, and whether the admiralty had dropped the policy of attacking Zeppelins by aeroplanes.

Mr. Balfour said he did not think it ought to be assumed that the Germans had taken the lead in aircraft construction. It was the desire of the admiralty and war office to improve the construction of air craft in strength, power and speed for the aerial defense of London. It would, of course, be an enormous advantage to have overwhelming forces of aircraft of the latest design which could be hurled against the invader and become invaders themselves and the government was doing its best to increase the number of aviators and machines for their use.

The largest part of the defense of London, continued the first lord, must be a coast defense, and as they got more of the appliances for this purpose they would more nearly succeed in achieving it.

Shortage of Men.

The service was being constantly pulled up by the shortage of men and no fairy waving of wands could put that right. The aeroplane had not the range to enable it to proceed from these shores and become a menace. The enemy Zeppelins, which attacked England came from north Germany, which it was not easy for British aircraft to attack.

With respect to the charges of blundering in the operations, Mr. Balfour said he had no doubt there was much talent in the country which was not finding its best operation; nor did he think that every man in high command was the very best man that omniscience could discover but nothing could be gained by such a speech as Mr. Lynch had delivered.

No practical suggestion has been made, except that every man now engaged should be turned out and some unspecified persons put in to direct affairs. He quite agreed that wherever merit was found it should be promoted, but broadcast criticisms of the soldiers and reckless attacks on the diplomatic service, he declared, did no good to the cause of the country, nor helped those responsible for public affairs.

Grey Wanted to Resign.

Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, told the house that he himself had expressed a desire to resign at the time Viscount Haldane left the cabinet last May. "But for a crisis in the public affairs I would have done so," said the foreign secretary. Sir Edward declared he regarded Lord Haldane's resignation as a loss to the public service.

Premier Asquith also paid a word of tribute to Viscount Haldane saying: "He rendered an inestimable service when in the war office."

Replying to a request to lay the papers on the table respecting the Antwerp expedition, Premier Asquith declined while the war was in progress. He added:

"Mr. Churchill (formerly first lord of the admiralty) may treat with indifference the allegations against him. He has a good record and will be am-

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SERBIANS NOW ARE FACING THE ENEMY IN THE MOUNTAINS

May Prove Protection and Make Advance of Teutonic Allies More Difficult.

NO MATERIAL CHANGE

London Military Critics Believe Serbia Has Good Chance to Turn Tables.

London, November 11. — There has been no material change in the last 24 hours in the situation either in Serbia or on the other fronts. The Austro-Germans claim to be advancing along the line west of Nish, but beyond the report of the capture of 4,000 prisoners which, the Serbians say, like those reported captured previously, were largely civilians or Albanians of Macedonian troops, which surrender easily, the official reports of the invaders do not record the capture of any town.

In fact, the Serbians are now facing the invaders in the mountains, which have proved a protection to them in their previous wars, and they may be expected to make the advance of the Austro-Germans and Bulgarians a matter of some difficulty. It also is probable that the opposition the Austrians are meeting in their efforts to drive back the Montenegrins is delaying Field Marshal von Mackensen's army, for the right wing must be free from this menace before they proceed with their drive.

French Made Cavalry Raid.

The news from the southern part of the country is very conflicting. It is now known that the French did not reoccupy but simply made a cavalry raid into the town of Veles, destroying the Bulgarian ammunition stores. The French, however, are advancing on the west side of the Vardar river and at the same time are repelling Bulgarian attacks on Krivolak and endeavoring to form a junction with the Serbians who are fighting in the Babuna Pass.

A new British division having landed, the force which is to be under command of General Sir Charles Carmichael Monro is spreading out toward Strumitza, where encounters with Bulgarian patrols are reported.

With the arrival of Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, who should soon be on the scene, a further development in the campaign is expected, and it is presumed that the Gallipoli army will become more aceive.

So long as the Serbian army remains intact, which it has done thus far, it is the feeling of military men here that there is a good chance to turn the tables on the Germans and their allies. The Teutons, the military observers say, can hardly send further reinforcements for the Near Eastern adventure, their line against Russia already having grown dangerously thin, as is evidenced by the Russian successes both in the north and the south.

Germans Admit Withdrawal.

The Germans admit that they withdrew troops from ground west of Riga, which they gained only a few weeks ago at considerable sacrifice, and that the Russian fleet in the Gulf of Riga is supporting the Russian army. By their recent gains, the Russians have established a connection between their forces on the Gulf of Riga by way of Kemmern and Lake Babit to Olai, which is half way between Riga and Mitau.

As the result of the activity of hostile submarines, freight rates between Cardiff and the Mediterranean Sea continue to jump. A fresh record was made today, when a rate of 50 shillings was quoted for Port Said.

ITALIANS LOSE HEAVILY.

Details of Disasters in Northern Africa Sent to Berlin.

Berlin, Nov. 11, (by wireless to Sayville)—Constantinople reports received here give details of Italian disasters in Libya, northern Africa," says the Overseas News Agency.

"Arabs have conquered Sherfria, Hum Radan, Zallein, Urfele, Misrata, Turga and Tarhuna. The Italian losses were heavy. In addition the Arabs captured 20 cannon and three machine guns and plenty of ammunition. The Italian troops which attempted to assist Tarhuna must retreat to Tripoli after having suffered heavy losses."

INCREASE ARMY'S STRENGTH.

Greece to Train All Citizens Who Have Not Done Military Service.

Geneva, Switz. via Paris, Nov. 11.—Dispatches received from Athns says the Greek general staff has decided to put into training all citizens who have not done military service. The effect of this action, it is said, will be to raise the strength of the Greek army to half a million officers and men.

FIGHTING IS HEAVY.

Bulgars Ask Suspension of Hostilities to Bury Their Dead.

London, Nov. 11.—"According to information received from a Greek frontier station," says Reuter's Saloniki correspondent, "fighting on a large scale has been proceeding since yesterday between Gradiko and Veles. The Bulgarians asked for a suspension of hostilities for five hours for

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MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES IN WILMINGTON MAKE FINE SHOWING IN CENSUS REPORT

Capital Invested Increased in Five Years From $2,022,000 to $3,699,000.

NEARLY 83 PER CENT

Increase in Value of Products 67 Per Cent; In Salaries and Wages, Half Million.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—Director of the Census Sam L. Rogers made public today the preliminary report of the manufacturing industries of Wilmington. The reports were taken for the calendar year ending December 31, 1914, wherever the system of bookkeeping permitted figures for that period to be secured. In the order of their importance, from a percentage standpoint, the increases for the several items rank as follows:

Salaries 90.2 per cent; capital 82.9 per cent; wages 82.3 per cent; materials 67.4 per cent; value of products 67.2 per cent; value added by manufacture 67 per cent; salaried officers 63.6 per cent; persons engaged in manufacture 43.4 per cent; wage earners (average number) 42.9 per cent; primary horsepower 0.3 per cent.

The capital invested as reported in 1914 was $3,699,000, a gain of $1,677,000, or 82.9 per cent, over $2,022,000 in 1909. The average capital per establishment was approximately $52,000 in 1914, and $32,000 in 1909. In this connection it should be stated that the inquiry contained in the census schedule calls for the total amount of capital, both owned and borrowed, invested in the business, but excludes the value of rented property, plant or equipment which was employed in the conduct of manufacturing enterprises. In the final bulletins and reports the rental paid for such property will be shown separately.

The cost of materials used in 1914 was $3,185,000, as against $1,903,000 in 1909, an increase of $1,282,000, or 67.4 per cent. The average cost of materials per establishment in 1914 was approximately $45,000, and in 1909, $30,000.

The value of products in 1914 was $5,026,000, and in 1909 $3,005,000, the increase being $2,021,000, or 67.3 per cent. The average per establishment in 1914, was approximately $71,000, and $47,000 in 1909. The value of products represents their selling value or price at the plants as actually turned out by the factories during the census year, and does not necessarily have any relation to the amount of sales for that year.

The value added by manufacture represents the difference between the cost of materials used and the value of the products manufactured from them. In 1914 the value added by manufacture was $1,841,000 and in 1909, $1,102,000, the increase being $739,000, or 67 per cent. The value added by manufacture in 1914 formed 36.6 per cent of the total volue of products, and in 1909, 36.7 per cent.

The salaries and wages in 1914 amounted to $1,091,000, and in 1909 to $593,000, the increase being $498,000, or 84 per cent.

In 1914 the number of salaried employes was 211, as compared with 129 in 1909, making an increase of 82, or 63.6 per cent.

The average number of wage earners in 1914 was 1,733, and in 1909, 1,213, the increase being 520, or 42.9 per cent.

P. R. A.

NEW APPARATUS ARRIVED

Y. W. C. A. Gymnasium Class Will Soon Have Chance to Work.

The apparatus for the gymnasium of the Young Women's Christian Association which had been so long delayed arrived in the city yesterday and will be installed immediately in order that the 188 members already enrolled in the gym class may begin their work.

This fact was reported at the regular monthly meeting held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the association building in the routine report of the physical director, Miss Foster.

There was an interesting meeting of the association, which was presided over by the president, Mrs. J. R. Kenly. Among the other interesting reports were the report by Mrs. Walter Sprunt of the work done by the National Association at the San Francisco Exposition, the report by the Extension Work committee that an Industrial club had been organized at Delgado, in charge of Miss Hively, assistant secretary of the association, which already has 50 members, and the report of the general secretary that 521 different girls and a total of 2,271 persons had visited the building during the past month.

WILL PRACTICE LAW HERE

Mr. J. C. King, Formerly a Magistrate, Locates in Old Office.

It will be of interest to his wide circle of friends to know that J. C. King, Esq., who was granted a license to practice law at the August examinations held in Raleigh, and who went back to Wake Forest College to continue his studies, has returned to the city and will take up the practice of his profession at No. 204 Princess street. Mr. King occupied this office as a magistrate some years ago and his many friends will welcome him back to the old stand.

CONCEDES STANLEY ELECTED.

Republicans Not to Contest Election in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 11.—The election of former Congressman A. O. Stanley, Democrat, as governor of Kentucky, was conceded tonight by Edwin P. Morrow, Republican gubernatorial candidate in the election of November 2. Mr. Morrow also set at rest widespread rumors that the Republicans might contest the election of Mr. Stanley before the legislature. Returns from the 120 counties in the state showed a plurality for Mr. Stanley of slightly more than 300.

Wrestling Tonight.

Leo Pardello, Italian heavyweight champion, against Fritz Hanson, Woolvin Hall tonight.

(Advertisement.)

STRONG ATTACK ON KITCHENER IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

(Continued From Page One.)

ply justified when the full story is told."

KITCHENER NEVER RESIGNED.

Declaration of Asquith in Discussing Suspension of London Globe.

London, Nov. 11.—Premier Asquith in the House of Commons today declared that Lord Kitchener, secretary of war, had never tendered his resignation either to the premier or to the king, the only persons to whom he could have tendered it. The premier's declaration was in reply to a statement by James Myles Hogg, member for East Edinburgh, who, during a discussion of the suspension of the Globe newspaper, expressed his belief that reports of Lord Kitchener's resignation were true. Mr. Asquith replied that Mr. Hogg accused him of a "deliberate and inexcusable falsehood, and to make the matter quite clear, he declared:

"Earl Kitchener never tendered his resignation either to the king or myself, the only two persons to whom he could have tendered it. Earl Kitchener never breathed a word of resignation to either."

The decision to send Lord Kitchener to the Near East, the premier added, was taken by the cabinet on Thursday (November 4). Serious information which led the government to take the decision, was brought to their knowledge for the first time on Wednesday. He repudiated the charge that the Globe had been singled out for special treatment.

Mr. Hogg and William M. R. Pringle, member for northwest Lanarkshire, however, insisted that other papers, which were equally guilty, had not been proceeded against.

Entirely Different Position.

Sir John Simon, home secretary, pointed out that the Globe was in an entirely different position from the other papers in that it had ignored warnings of the press bureau on Thursday night in the form of a request made to all the papers that no reference should be made to Earl Kitchener's movements until further notice.

The next day the Globe, and the Globe alone, published the statement that Earl Kitchener had resigned because he had quarreled with his colleagues. When a denial was issued, the Globe repeated the statement, thus saying in effect that the government was lying.

Under the circumstance it was the bounden duty of the government to correct that false impression and prevent further circulation of the lie in the most summary and direct way.

FINANCES WILL BE MET

Statement of Earl St. Aldwyn in Debate in House of Lords.

London, November 11. Earl St. Aldwyn, former chancellor of the exchequer, during the debate on the necessity for greater economy in the House of Lords today declared that whatever the financial requirements they would be met. He believed the country would find the money, and that there was no reason for faint heartedness in these matters, giving the foes of the nation cause to rejoice, but the government was bound to exercise far more than it had yet exercised the means of economizing at its disposal.

Earl St. Aldwyn protested against delay in raising new taxation for the war. Large as the increases were which had been made, he said, they were not large enough, especially in regard to indirect taxation.

Earl St. Aldwyn added, however, that unless drastic economies were put into effect he did not think the issue of the war would be as successful as all hoped and intended it should be.

Baron Sydenham said he had reason to know that the bankers of the country felt strongly that while they had done all in their power to help the treasury the governmen thad not played its part in enforcing economy.

The Duke of Devonshire, civil lord of the admiralty, explained that the admiralty was making every effort to preserve strict and absolute control over the expendoture and said that a committee nad been sent to the Mediterranean to inquire into matters there.

The Earl of Selborne, president of the board of agriculture, in closing the debate said it was impossible to control the finances of the war office at the present tim in the sense suggested without interfering with the policy of the minister for war. When they took a man like Lord Kitchener at acrisis and placed him in charge of the war office, they must leave him to do his own work in his ownway.

NO REPLY TO CRITICS.

Lord Balfour Says Facts of Conduct of War Cannot Yet be Known.

London, Nov. 11.—A. J. Balfour, first lord of the admiralty, laid down the principle in the House of Commons today that he would not reply to criticisms on the conduct of the war, on the ground that "all criticism of the conduct of the war must, until after the war is over, and indeed long after, be a matter almost impossible to deal with, because the facts are not and cannot be known."

WILL RAISE TARIFF RATES ON WESTERN COAL HAULS

Representatives of N. & W., C. & O. and B. & O. to Meet.

Roanoke, Va., Nov. 11.—Representatives of the Norfolk & Western, Chesapeake & Ohio, and Baltimore & Ohio railways will meet at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., on November 17 at which time it is expected a final decision will be reached regarding the proposed issuing of higher tariffs on western coal hauls from the West Virginia fields. This announcement was made here tonight by an official of the Norfolk & Western and sets at rest rumors that the three roads has finally decided not to ask for an advance.

Representatives of the roads met in New York last month and agreed to file with the Interstate Commerce Commission on November 15 new tariffs to become effective December 15. However, when it was seen that the advance would be met with formidable protest on the part of coal operators, the roads agreed to withhold a definite decision until the meeting at White Sulphur Springs.

CEREMONY OF "KAGURA" DANCE IS CELEBRATED

Brilliant Event Following the Coronation Ceremony.

Decorations in the Shunkoden Hall, Where Rests the Imperial Sanctuary, Presented a Scene of Great Beauty and Color.

Kioto, Nov. 11.—Following the grand coronation ceremony at the Shishiiden, the antique ceremony of the "kagura" dance was celebrated today at the Shunkoden hall in the presence of the whole court.

In the early hours the Shunkoden hall, wherein reposes the imperial sanctuary, was decorated appropriately. At the appointed time the dignitaries of state, high military and naval officers, and titled personages, and their wives, assembled at the waiting hall in the compound of the imperial palace. They wore the same dress as on the ceremony of the previous day.

Not long after, the Crown Prince, the princes and princesses of the blood and other members of the imperial family entered the Giyoden, a hall adjacent to the Shunkoden. A short interval, and then the Emperor slowly made his way from the inner part of the palace, attended by his retinue. His Majesty donned his outer robes and washed his hands, as is usual when worshipping before the deity or holy presence. He then took the bamboo brush and the hinoki fan, which were offered by the chamberlain. The members of the suite also changed their dress.

Presently the imperial train entered the hall, the Emperor being preceded by the grand master of ceremonies and the household minister. After the Emperor came two chamberlains, one holding the sacred sword and the other the imperial privy seal. They were followed by the lord chamberlain, other chamberlains, the chief aide-de-camp and aides-de-camp. Behind the imperial retinue walked the Crown Prince, princes of the blood and other members of the imperial family and the lord keeper of the privy seal, the chief of the coronation committee bringing up the rear.

When the Emperor had taken his seat on the imperial throne the chamberlains who held the sacred sword and the imperial seal placed them on the tables near by. The scene was one of great beauty and color, with the dominating note solemnity.

The ceremony proper was then begun. It was concluded in a short space of time. The Emperor rose from his seat, and, while court ritualists were ringing the sacred bells, made a respectful bow to the sanctuary. The same formalities were observed by the Crown Prince, princes and princesses of the blood and other members of the imperial family.

The court musicians then resumed the kagura music and the Emperor and members of the imperial house retired in the same order observed at their entry. At the close of the ceremony all participants either offered worship or showed their respect before the sanctuary.

TO TRAIN AT MACON.

New York American Players Will Report There on March 1.

New York, Nov. 11.—The New York American League baseball club announced today that arrangements had been completed for the Yankees to do their spring training next year at Macon, Ga. The Yankee regulars will report in Macon on March 1.

STEAMER HOCKING AWAITS ACTION OF PRIZE COURT.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Great Britain has informed the United States that the cause of the detention of the American steamship Hocking, seized by a British prize court and taken to Halifax, was to determine whether the vessel was enemy-owned, although flying the American flag. The Hocking is one of the ships owned by the American Trans-Atlantic Company, of New York. It has been charged and denied that some of the stock of the company is German owned. The Hocking awaits action in a prize court.

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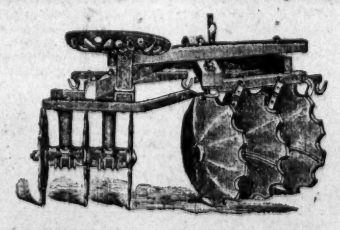

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Four Cotton Mills to Be Equipped With New and Modern Machinery at Once and Business to Be Resumed on Larger Scale.

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 11.—The Hope Mills group of four cotton mills, which, with the other property of the Hope Mills Manufacturing Company, were bid in for the bond holders at $75,000 at a public auction sale yesterday, by A. M. McCarthy, of Pennsylvania, will soon be running again, well equipped with new and up-to-date machinery, having been bought at private sale following the public sale by Messrs. W. J. Beattie, Jr., of Hope Mills; A. J. McKinnon, of Maxton, and John S. McNair, of Laurinburg. This announcement, on authority of Mr. Beattie, was published by the Fayetteville Observer this afternoon.

Mr. Beattie will go North at once, complete the details of the sale, buy new machinery to replace all at present in the mills which is out of date, and return in a few days. On his return things will begin to move, and in as short a time as possible the mills will be again put in operation on a bigger scale than ever before.

Mr. Beattie will have the entire management of the mills. He was for years manager of the Hope Mills Manufacturing Company, as general superintendent and secretary. His long experience, energy and good business ability eminently fit him for his important position, and now that he is untrammeled by restrictions and friction of a large corporation, it is predicted that he will meet with a large measure of success.

Messrs. McKinnon and McNair are representative business men of the Upper Cape Fear section, both as to ability and probity, and their investment in property at Hope Mills is cause for congratulation. Hope Mills has been a mill village for more than half a century.

Hope Mills is beautifully situation on Little Rockfish river, at the junction of the A. C. L. and V. & C. S. railroads. It is ideally located as to sanitary conditions, in a sandy region, bountifully supplied with pure water, and good drainage is easily possible.

MISUNDERSTOOD WHAT WAS SAID BY THE ENGINEER.

Mr. F. J. Kashagen Had Leg Broken Yesterday Morning at A. C. L.

Mr. F. J. Kashagen, an engineer for the Atlantic Coast Line, had his left leg broken below the knee by being caught on the front of a yard engine while pushing a motorcycle across the tracks on Nutt street yesterday morning at 7 o'clock. Mr. Kashagen lives at Seagate and had ridden his motorcycle to the city, as is his usual custom, preparatory to beginning his work for the day.

A yard engine was standing near the street crossing and was in charge of Mr. Harry J. Southwell. Mr. Kashagen called to him to know if he was going across the street and understood that he was not. He then started across and the engine also started and the result was that Mr. Kashagen was caught on the front and his foot was dragged under and both bones of his left leg broken.

The injured man was rushed to the James Walker Memorial Hospital and the broken limb set by Dr. R. B. Slocum, local surgeon for the Atlantic Coast Line. Mr. Kashagen was reported last night as resting as well as could be expected.

LOWER COURT SUSTAINED

In Case of Foard Against Tidewater Power Co. for Damages.

In a batch of opinions handed down Wednesday, the Supreme Court reverses the lower court in the case of Dr. Charles D. Foard, of this city, against the Tidewater Power Company, in which he was suing for damages for injuries sustained by his ten-year-old son, John H. Foard, who was hurt at Wrightsville about two years ago. The case was tried in Superior Court las tspring before Judge Oliver H. Allen and the jury awarded the plaintiff damages in the sum of $1,500. The attorney for the defendant moved for a non-suit which was refused and an appeal was then taken to the Supreme Court.

Judge Brown who handed down the opinion of the higher court in the case, states that motion for non-suit should have been granted. He points out that the boy was going fishing and while off the track of the suburban car lines, saw an electric car coming, got too near the track ahead of the car and was injured by being struck as there was not sufficient space between the car and some crossties piled near the track. The plaintiff was guilty of contributory negligence, the court states, and was not young enough to be relieved of the consequence of his own acts and the judgment of the lower court is, therefore, reversed.

John D. Bellamy & Son appeared for the plaintiff and the Tidewater Power Company was represented by Thomas W. Davis, Esq.

BASKETBALL AT Y. M. C. A.

Four Teams Organized from Gymnasium Classes—First Games Tonight.

Four basketball teams have been organized from the gymnasium classes at the Y. M. C. A. and they will have their first games tonight beginning promptly at 8:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend and two interesting games are promised. The membership of the teams is as follows:

Team No. 1—L. K. LeGwin, captain; Rennie, Kelley, "Happy" Lewis, Alex. Walker and B. C. Brown.

Team No. 2—K. N. Davis, captain; R. B. Lewis, H. Solomon, J. G. Mercer and L. R. Schnibben.

Team No. 3—W. A. Walker, Jr., captain; Louis Stein, Jas. Applewhite, H. C. Johnson and G. D. McFadyen.

Team No. 4—Justice, captain; Harry Farmer, Louis Cotchett, L. F. Duvall and William Whitaker.

Hold Smoker and Social.

The Bible class of the Presbyterian Sunday school at Delgado held a smoker and social in the mission building Wednesday night. Several short and interesting talks were made by the members and a general enthusiastic meeting was enjoyed by a large attendance.

FIRST AID BOARD IS NAMED BY PRESIDENT

For Standardizing Efficiency in Case of War.

Organization Created in Pursuance of Resolution Adopted Last Summer at a Conference of American Surgeons.

Washington, Nov. 11.—First aid efficiency among civilians of the country in time of peace which, in necessity, might be utilized for military requirements, is the objective of a board of first aid standardization appointed today by President Wilson. The organization was created in pursuance of a resolution adopted at a conference of American surgeons held in Washington last summer. The President appointed the following members of the board:

Dr. William Colby Rucker, assistant surgeon general representing the Public Health Service; Major Robert U. Patterson, War Department and American Red Cross; Surgeon A. M. Fauntleroy, Navy Department; Dr. J. Shelton Horseley, Richmond, Va., representing the American Medical Association; Dr. S. C. Plummer, Chicago, American Association of Railway Surgeons, and Dr. Richard H. Harte, Philadelphia, American Surgical Association.

The plan is to standardize first aid packages and equipment of all sorts, means of transporting and handling wounded, and first aid instruction among civilians, particularly those allied with industrial plants of the country.

First aid for peace is the basic idea of the board, according to its originators, but they do not overlook the fact that expert knowledge of this character among civilians in times of war might be of great advantage for military purposes.

FOUR COLLEGES TO COMPETE IN FOUR-MILE RACE SATURDAY

University, Trinity, Wake Forest and Davidson to Take Part.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., Nov. 11.—The preliminary try-out for the four-mile cross country race was held here Wednesday afternoon. The best four men will represent Carolina in the State Inter-Collegiate meet, which will be held here November 20th. The one who finishes first in Saturday's race, provided he comes within the required time limit, will be in the final race on November 20th.

Trinity, Wake Forest, Davidson and A. & M. will send representatives here to compete in the State meet. All the colleges of the State were invited to participate in this race.

POSSE SEARCHING FOR NEGRO WANTED BADLY IN DUPLIN.

Charged With Attempt to Criminally Assault White Child.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 11.—A Duplin county posse is searching for "Crum" Southerland, aged 18, colored, who yesterday attempted to criminally assault a four-year-old daughter of D. Smith. The child's mother, attracted by screams, discovered the negro with the girl in a corn crib.

Communication with the Leon section where the outrage was attempted, is impossible. A reliable report says that if Southerland is caught he will probably be lynched.

THREE STORES AT CLARKTON ROBBED DURING SAME NIGHT.

Watches and Jewelry Taken, But Very Little Money Obtained.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Clarkton, N. C., Nov. 11.—Robbers made a raid on Clarkton last night. By breaking glass in the doors at each place they obtained entrance to C. L. & E. S. Clark's drug store, Brown & Company's and N. A. Currie & Company's general stores. They succeeded in getting very little money, but got jewelry from the drug store and several watches from the other stores.

Bloodhounds trailed, first on the railroad and then off, to Council, sixteen miles east of here. Two negroes were arrested at East Arcadia, but none of the missing goods were found on them. They are said to have confessed, however, saying the loot was hidden in the woods. The two negroes in separate automobiles have been taken tonight to show the officers where the loot is hidden.

The estimated value of the goods taken follows: From the Currie company $20, from Brown & Co. $10, from the Clark company, jewelry and cigarettes, $25.

Much Interest In Georgetown Game

A. & M. COLLEGE PLAYS GEORGETOWN SATURDAY AND GREAT CROWD OF TAR HEELS IS EXPECTED TO SEE IT.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—"We are running like clock work. We have a powerful club with plenty of that old stuff, the heart. Everybody is in perfect shape and we shall have no excuse to offer if we are beaten," writes Jack Hegarty, of the North Carolina A. & M. football team, which plays the Georgetown University here Saturday next.

"I really believe that one of the best football games ever played at the Hill Top is going to be played there Saturday and North Carolina A. & M. is going to put up a real fight before she is beaten."

Probably the largest crowd ever seen at a football game here since Virginia stopped playing the Georgetown eleven will witness Saturday's contest. Every North Carolinian and Virginian who happens to have two bucks to spare and enough "Tonic" to keep the cold out will be seen on the side lines rooting for the Tar Heels.

Georgetown has a good team but they realize that A. & M. will give them the hardest fight of the season. The remarkable strength shown by the North Carolinains during the past 30 days has put the Georgetown boys to thinking and the betting, which was two to one a week ago, is now even money with a little placed at 10 to 7 against the Catholics.

The Raleigh boys are counting on Riddick, whom Washington sport writers call the best halfback ever seen in the South. One of the local papers today carried a three-column cut of Riddick and Sullivan in the act of kicking from the field. P. R. A.

IN WASHINGTON TOMORROW

Techs Leave Raleigh Today in Good Shape and Very Confident.

West Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 11.—The approaching game with Georgetown in Washington, Saturday, is now holding the attention of the students at A. & M. and strenuous preparations were begun Monday afternoon by the coaches in the way of getting the team in shape for this important battle. In this week's practice the team has shown more "pep" than at any time this season.

The showing made by the substitutes in the game with Gallaudet was a source of great pleasure to the coach, for now he feels that if any of his regular men are injured he can send in a worthy substitute. Homewood, at fullback, McCoy at tackle, and Temple at end, showed up the best and should be seen in the game with Georgetown.

Reports coming from Georgetown show that the Hilltoppers are ready and confident of victory Saturday. They report the team in excellent shape, they having had two weeks' rest since their last game, which was with Fordam, whom they disposed of in easy fashion, and suffering very little in the way of injuries.

On the other hand the Techs think they have a good chance of getting the long end of the score, for they cannot believe that Georgetown has a better team than the Navy, although they did defeat the navy by a larger score than the Techs did.

The game Saturday will have a lot of bearing on the South Atlantic title. If Georgetown is defeated, then they will be eliminated from the race, leaving the title to be fought for between A. & M. and Washington & Lee, who meet in Norfolk Thanksgiving.

The team numbering twenty-three men will leave Friday morning o ver the Seaboard and their headquarters while in Washington will be at the Ebbitt House.

CAMPUS SINGING AT CHAPEL HILL.

University Students to Sing National Hymns of Belligerents.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., Nov. 11.—Campus singing is attracting much attention at present. This was initiated by Preston Epps in order to help the students utilize the half hour period between supper and the mail. Every evening immediately after supper the students assemble in Gerrard Hall to practice the different types of hymns and other popular songs. More than a hundred students have been attending these meetings regularly.

Mr. Epps plans to have the students learn the national hymns of the belligerent nations. After they do this he plans to have them assemble around the well where the pro-Germans will sing "The Watch on the Rhine." Then the pro-Allies will sing the "Marseillaise."

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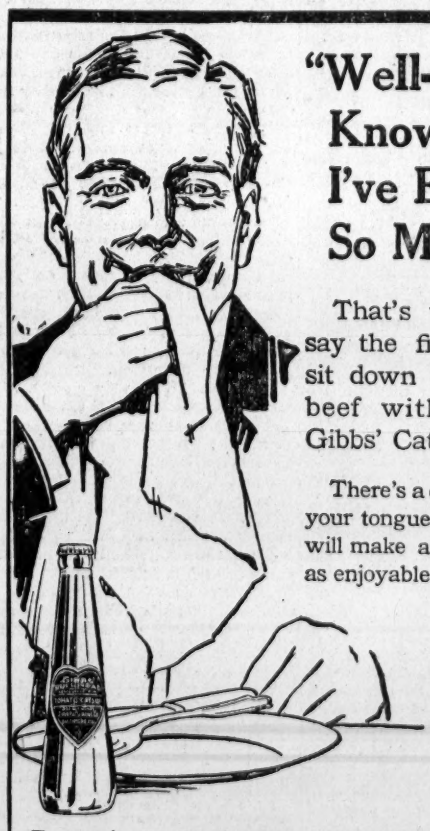

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TOP O' THE MORNING

Oh, may I live from day to day
In such a self-forgetful way,
That even when I kneel to pray,
My prayer shall be for others.

—SELECTED.

Dope it out yourself.

Don't be bamboozled.

Wilmington's natural gait must be going ahead.

Keep out of mother's way if she has all the house work to do.

We don't have to have any blustery weather. It is not needed. That's all.

A personally conducted fund of 30 cents goes a long way when we take a jitney ride.

Seems as if House Leader Kitchin ought to be able to see which way the House is going.

A Cape Fear products dinner is good enough for Epicurus and the whole Epicurean family.

Eastern North Carolina is a wonderful region. We do not begin to realize how wonderful it is.

Italy announces that she cannot for the present go to the rescue of Serbia. This is equivalent to saying the Italian line's busy.

A man who is big enough can depend on self-defense, but a little fellow depends on amiability and avoidability for safety.

Some men do as they like but others are smart enough to make themselves popular by doing what most of the people like.

There seems to be a recrudescence of Senator Hoke Smith's idea as to the duty America owes to herself regardless of "pro" foolishness of any kind.

A Chicago woman emptied a revolver at 17 policemen but they left the scene in charge of an innocent bystander who caught a 32-calibre ball on the fly.

If we wanted to get a leader for some forlorn hope we know whom to get. We'd get a bad actor who plays the role of Jonah just as if he were Jonah himself. Nobody has to rock the boat with Jonah. He rocks it himself.

Tut! Tut! Eleven European banks are larger than the biggest bank in the United States. New York has the world's twelfth largest bank. London has a bank with more than twice the resources of America's largest financial whale.

A New Yorker wants $20,000 damages because a wealthy girl named Anabelle broke her engagement with him and thus laid herself liable to suit for breach of promise. Anabelle may be able to justify herself for ringing off.

If Wilmington had factories in proportion to her advantages and adaptibilities for manufacturing enterprises, there would be a powerful mobilization of smokestacks on the water front and the belt line with its rails touching every water termnal of the ports.

The Republicans and the Democrats did not have much to brag about as a result of the recent elections, so neither side is making a specialty of blowing about it. The Progressives are saying nothing, owing to the fact that they know they were the innocent bystanders.

A headline in the Columbia State reads, "Georgia May." We thought it was the name of some girl visitor in Columbia till we got down to where it says, "Georgia may have the most stringent prohibition law of any state in the Union." Anyhow, the Georgians can stand stringent laws just so long as they stay on the statute books where they won't be noticed.

WORLD REVIVAL IN SHIPPING.

Shipping authorities in Liverpool are confidently looking for a great revival in world shipping when the war in Europe comes to an end. Replacing the shipping destroyed during the war will not be the only cause, but the revival of world trade and the need of supplying the world's shortage of commodities, which various countries could not get during the war, will create a heavy demand for ships. It will start up ship building all over the world.

A Liverpool authority thinks the Panama Canal will be the main thing in reviving the world's shipping. The canal opened just as the war began, but at its close he predicts that it will be the world's main highway for commerce, provided the earthslides and earthquakes do not get the best of its engineers. However, he says if the canal can be kept open, many old ocean routes will be abandoned, many new ones will be opened, new countries and new industries will be developed and international competitive conditions will be revolutionized. The Liverpool authority thus writes to the New York Journal of Commerce:

"For one thing, we may see a great revival of American shipping. Before the 20th century is much older we Britishers may see what we saw in the first half of the 19th—the United States merchant marine our chief rival on the ocean. In the coal export trade also, in which Britain has long held something like a monopoly, the Americans may now become keen competitors as a direct result of the opening of the great new canal. A vast avenue of commercial possibilities is opened out by the simultaneous outbreak of the world's greatest war and the opening of the world's greatest canal. The circumstances and possibilities are well worth reviewing. While our British shipping interests have paid a great deal of attention to the Panama Canal tolls question, and to the alteration the canal will effect in trading routes and so forth, there are at least two other important points in the general problem to which little thought has been given. One is the possibility of a great revival of United States shipping and shipbuilding. That would mean serious competition with our British industries. The other point relates to the comparative prices of British and American coal at the various coaling stations on the old Suez and the new Panama routes, respectively. In cases where the distance between western Europe and eastern American ports and those of the Orient, Australia, New Zealand, etc., is anything like the same via Panama as via Suez coal prices will be the dominating factor in deciding which way vessels will take and, of course, whether they burn American or British coal for the greater part of their voyages. Coal will play a big part in the revision and development of international trading routes."

This country anticipated practically what the Liverpool authority says about the tremendous commerce that must move by way of the canal, and because of what is sure to follow the war, all the Atlantic ports would welcome an early end of the struggle.

WHERE PROTECTION IS HARMFUL

Canada rejected reciprocity with the United States and levied a tariff duty of 10 cents a bushel on wheat for the benefit of Canadian wheat growers. However, the Canadian farmers have harvested a very large crop and have a surplus to sell. Their nearest market is the United States and they are selling large quantities of Canada's high grade wheat to the flour manufacturers of Minneapolis. There is where the Canadian farmers are out 10 cents a bushel on their wheat, for the American duty also is 10 cents a bushel, same as the Canada duty. The American millers pay the American price for wheat, less 10 cents a bushel for the tariff duty, so that if the price in Minneapolis is $1 a bushel the Canadian gets only 90 cents for his wheat, and if the price is 90 cents in Minneapolis the Canadian grower gets 80 cents for his wheat.

The Canadian farmers now realize that if reciprocity had been adopted, making Minneapolis a free market for them, they would get the American price in full for their grain. Realizing that reciprocity would pay them 10 cents a bushel more for their wheat and be more advantageous than their so-called protection, the Canadian farmers are now very much in favor of reciprocity instead of protection. In fact, protection when a big surplus is on hand gluts the home market and puts down the price of wheat—a good thing for consumers but not for producers.

It is easy enough to see that this is an economic question and that politics or no politics, protection causes a loss of 10 cents a bushel to Canadian farmers. That is because the price is fixed by the buyers instead of the sellers and that the law of supply and demand guides the buyers in the price they can afford to pay.

Another curious economical fact about it is that the duty paid on Canadian wheat by Minneapolis millers deos not fall upon American consumers. It comes out of the Canadian farmer because it is deducted from the price that he otherwise would get. As an economic question the tariff works some funny tricks, and it is only combinations and trusts that know how to get the most out of it in the elimination of competition by monopolizing the privilege of fixing prices of their own.

Alongside of a big market next door to them, protection is what Canadian wheat growers don't need. They need the market in which there is the greatest demand.

WAR DEMANDS CREATE NEW ENTERPRISES.

War destroys or cripples some industries but creates others, two economical results that may or may not balance each other. During the first months of war it paralyzes everything, but when war begins to create a demand for certain commodities a boom is experienced in the line to be supplied. A few months after the war in Europe broke out, everything came to a halt in the United States, but when the war began to make demands on this country for supplies a tremendous reaction occurred.

In financial circles in New York it is announced that recent financing involves $461,725,000 of capital invested in new companies made necessary by the war. This is shown strikingly by the heavy incorporation of new companies to manufacture war munitions, chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.

Of the huge amount of capital called for, $340,000,000 represents re-capitalization of old companies which were compelled to increase their plants. This was necessary in the case of the DuPont Powder Company and the Midvale Steel Company, the former taking $240,000,000 and the steel company $100,000,000. Other new concerns were incorporated with capital running from $100,000 to $1,000,000. In the past nine months 58 companies with capital of $100,000 or more have been organized for the manufacture or distribution of chemicals, drugs and dyes. The total capitalization for these particular lines amounts to $53,790,000, or slightly less than an average of $1,000,000 each. The list of new chemical companies organized shows a large number with capital of $100,000 to $500,000, these representing concerns which took advantage of the war to supply products formerly supplied by Germany.

In many respects the war will make the United States independent of Europe for some lines which foreign manufacturers used to supply exclusively. War has been more beneficial to these infant industries than the tariff has ever been, although the war is bound to come to an end—and then they may want, if not need, protection. Anyhow, the new industries will be here, whereas they were not here before.

We can hardly conceive of the fact that practically $500,000,000, equal to the loan to the Allies, has been invested in American industries as a direct result of the war. Unfortunately, very few of these huge amounts of capital have come into the South—at least south of Virginia.

DIFFERING WITH THE PRESIDENT

Both Democrats and Republicans have a way at times of differing with Presidents, whether they belong to their own party or not. Nearly every President has had insurgents on his hands, and invariably if he has won it was because of the allies—men of both parties who came to his assistance, regardless of politics.

This shows the independent character of Americans. There are many questions of purely national character that they do not regard as at all political, so their course is shaped by the purely American view in which men of all parties are brothers.

There need be no surprise, therefore, that President Wilson will have opposition in some of his plans of national character. He will have insurgents on his hands, just as did Roosevelt and Taft. Nevertheless, some Republican allies will come to the President's assistance, and whatever national plans there may be worthy of support, the Americans of the two parties will come to the aid of their country.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The note that is viewed by London as "harsh" and by Berlin as "too mild" must inferentially have covered the case pretty satisfactorily from the point of view of the neutral countries concerned.—New York World.

The county boys who won scholarships at the State fair on the yield of their prize acres of corn made excellent records, the one with 103 bushels and the other with 98. At the pace they and other corn club boys are setting anything less than 100 bushels an acre will soon be considered not worth mentioning.—Savannah News.

Capt. John W. Harper looks somewhat out of place anywhere except in the wheelhouse. Nevertheless, it is very much of a pleasure to have the popular Cape Fear captain taking bearings about the friendly streets of Charlotte. Fine fellow, the captain, and he can get in no crowd in North Carolina without rubbing elbows with a friend in every man he may come in contact with.—Charlotte Observer.

Agricultural North Carolina this year beat all past records except in the single instance of cotton, and even in that, while short on production—and a good thing to be short on, by the way—the State is ahead on price. At this time last year the farmers could do nothing better on the market than 6.3 cents, while the price is nearly double. North Carolina this year raised 59,100,000 bushels of corn against 57,550,000 last year. The production of wheat was 11,267,000 bushels, against 7,332,000 last year. Similar increases range throughout the whole list of crops. North Carolina is forging to the front as an agricultural State.—Charlotte Observer.

"Tons of misleading literature has been dumped into my district with reference to this country's unpreparedness," says Representative Kitchin. Who is starting this backfire in the premises of an influential majority congressman, outspoken in his personal opposition to a large preparedness programme? We are not to assume that Mr. Kitchin's district has been singled out for this honor, for there is evidence to the contrary. Mr. Bryan has charged that the navy league is governed by ulterior purposes, and in effect that it reflects very closely the sentiments of that group in finance now so actively interested in the preparedness of the Allies. The navy league is engaged in disavowal and insists upon retraction from Mr. Bryan. Nevertheless it is evident that preparedness must be already costing somebody a not inconsiderable sum; these "tons of literature" are backed by a bank account.—Greensboro News.

MR. JOSEPH BUTLER DEAD

Was for Forty Years One of the Leading Citizens of Tabor Section.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Tabor, N. C., Nov. 11.—Mr. Joseph F. Butler, of Fireway, N. C., father of Ex-Sheriff Butler, died at the home of his son at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of November 7, at the age of 84 years, nine months and ten days. He had been one of the county's most enterprising and energetic citizens, but had been practically retired from active participation in affairs for the last ten years.

He put up and operated the first portable sawmill in this county south of the railroad. About 40 years ago he erected the first cotton gin in his section, which he operated with horse power, as steam power was unknown at that time in his section. About 35 years ago he added steam power and a grist mill and saw mill. This was a great convenience to the public and was hailed with joy by the entire section of the county. After retiring from the mill business he gave his entire time to farming until he became incapacitated by age. He was a man who believed in staying out of debt and never would venture in any new enterprise further than he had good reason to believe he could succeed without embarrassment to himself or his friends.

He was active to a certain degree up to the time of his death. On Saturday he visited friends and that evening came home in his usual health. Sunday morning he got up, dressed himself and ate breakfast. About 11 o'clock he fed his pony, which he prized so highly, at 12:30 ate dinner and at 1 o'clock his soul had taken its flight.

His funeral was conducted from his son's residence Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment was made in the family plat near the home. The service, which was very largely attended, was conducted by Rev. D. D. Jones, pastor of the Methodist church of which deceased was a faithful member to his death, having joined the church in early life. He is survived by one son, eight grand children, three great-grandchildren and one sister.

"Uncle Joe," as he was familiarly known, will be greatly missed in the community, as he was able to ride around and mingle with and greet his friends to the end.

MULLETS BY THE TENS OF TONS BROUGHT TO SOUTHPORT

Fishing Boat Convoy Makes Big Catch —Shrimp and Menhaden.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., Nov. 11.—Capt. Charlie Owens, of the fishing boat Convoy, arrived at the Cape Fear Oil Company's dock, Tuesday evening with his boat fairly loaded down with a catch of mullets, a great many roe-mullets. This cargo of mullets, which weighed out between 25 and 30 tons, was bought by Dosher-St. George Company. The news of this great catch brought crowds to the dock, and there was a procession of visitors and buyers in small lots of fish and roe, far into the night. Dosher-St. George quickly got to work but it was far into the night before the fish could be taken from the boat, while at the same time there was a force cleaning the fish to be salted and packed. The household here today that has not had mullet to eat in some way, has been one indifferent to this fish.

Shrimp continue to be brought in good supply, and the Dosher-St. George shrimp factory is packing hundreds of cans, daily.

Besides mullets and shrimp, the menhaden fishing steamers are bringing in quantities of their kind of fish, the steamers coming in today loaded to the gunwales.

Capt. J. J. Adkins is at Savannah, Ga., a representative of Southport at the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Convention.

The city has elected Mr. Will Davis superintendent of the water and sewerage plant, this plant having arrived at a point near completion.

CAPT. J. D. M'NIELL INVITED

To Deliver Address at Southport—Exhibit at Corn Show.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., Nov. 11.—The Commercial Association has asked ex-Mayor Price Furpless to serve as chairman of the exhibit from Southport, which will be placed at the Wilmington Corn and Agricultural Show next week. Mr. Furpless accepted and will enlist helpers to assist him in getting an exhibit to present some of the resources from here.

The city is continuing the clay sand road of 12 feet width which will extend through the principal business streets.

Mayor J. W. Ruark, in behalf of the city, has written to Capt. James D. McNeill, of Fayetteville, president North Carolina Firemen's Association, to visit Southport during the latter part of this month, and make a public address. This is in anticipation of the establishment of a local fire department.

Henry Coward, of Vanceboro Section, Loses $190.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 11.—Two highwaymen, one white and one black, threw Henry Coward, aged 45, from his wagon on a road between Gardner's crossroads and Vanceboro, marched him blindfolded two miles, robbed him and fled, said a report today.

Coward had sold a quantity of cotton and had $190 on his person which was taken by the robbers.

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OLD BERRY RATES STAND.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has issued an order in the Carolina-Eastern berry rates case. A statement by the Commission says that the Seaboard Air Line Railway and other carriers respondent in the proceedings to prevent them from raising the rates on berries from Eastern North Carolina points have filed a tariff effective October 15, cancelling the objectionable rates. In consequence of the announcement of the roads, an order suspending the schedule proposing an increase was issued by the commission. The railroads will use the old rates.

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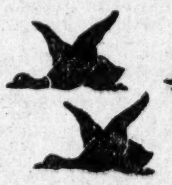

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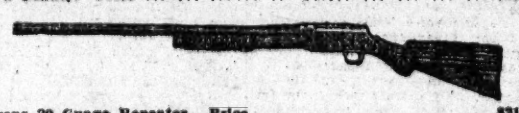

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INVITES DR. NESBITT TO ATTEND MEETING

Special Councilmanic Committee to Have Hearing.

Health Officer Asked to Present Objections Monday Night Regarding Water and Sewerage Department—Accepts.

There will be a meeting on Monday night at 8 o'clock at the City Hall of the special committee of City Council which was appointed some time ago to make an investigation of the Water and Sewerage Departments with a view to improving its efficiency. The meeting was called yesterday by the chairman, Councilman W. F. Jones, in charge of the Department of Water and Sewerage, following the publication of Dr. Nesbitt's monthly report in which he made the assertion that the Health Department had been unable to secure the proper co-operation from employes of the Water and Sewerage Department.

Councilman Jones in a letter to Dr. Nesbitt invites him to attend the meeting and present any objections he may have and states further that the committee will be glad to hear any complaints from any citizen who may care to attend the meeting. Dr. Nesbitt wrote Councilman Jones yesterday afternoon that he would be glad to attend the meeting.

Dr. Nesbitt stated yesterday afternoon that in his conferences with members of the present City Council, especially Mr. Jones, since he has been in charge of Water and Sewerage, he had been impressed with the desire on their part to give efficient service and information and declared that he had no ill feeling towards anyone connected with the city government nor did he wish to create any unpleasantness or friction.

While the correspondence between Dr. Nesbitt and Councilman Jones was made public by the former, this was done with the permission of Mr. Jones.

Councilman Jones Writes.

"From the report in today's paper of last night's meeting of the Board of Health," Councilman Jones wrote Dr. Nesbitt yesterday, "it appears that your monthly report to that body carries the broad assertion that you have been unable to secure the proper co-operation from the Water and Sewerage Department. While your report, no doubt, gives specific instances of alleged failure on the part of our employes to give your department the proper assistance, the newspaper accounts do not indicate that these particular instances were mentioned by you. Since I have had charge of this department you have on several occasions called my attention to two or three instances of alleged neglect on the part of some of our employes, but a most thorough investigation of these particular complaints have brought out the fact that there has been no neglect of duty on the part of anyone connected with this department. Only recently I called a meeting of all the master and journeymen plumbers of the city and suggested to them that you had mentioned to me the fact that this department and the plumbers were not working in complete harmony. At this meeting it was brought out by one of the leading master plumbers of the city and agreed to by practically every plumber present that there was no fault or failure on the part of our employes to assist them in any proper way. Later on the special committee of Council called several public meetings and extended invitations to everyone having complaints to make against the Department to appear and specify their objections. At none of these meetings did anyone with complaint to make put in an appearance.

"As it is my desire to have this department work in complete harmony with all of the departments of the city and county governments, and in order to settle for all time the complaints which have been made against our employes and eliminate all grounds for just criticism, I have called a meeting of our special committee to be held in the mayor's office next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. At this meeting our employes will be present and we will be glad to have you appear and present any objections which you may care to make, and the committee will also be glad to hear complaints from any citizen who may care to attend the meeting. If the hour and date of this hearing is not agreeable to you we will arrange a meeting at any time later that will suit your convenience."

Dr. Nesbitt's Reply.

Yesterday afternoon, the following letter was sent to Councilman Jones by Dr. Nesbitt in reply:

"Your communication of November 11 to hand. I desire to say in reply that I will be very glad to attend the meeting of your special committee on next Monday evening and will at that time take pleasure in presenting sufficient evidence to satisfy your special committee that my report to the Board of Health is well founded and just.

"It is my desire that your superintendent, Mr. Merritt, and Mr. Branch and the negro employes who are intrusted with this work be present at this meeting. I desire above all things that the citizens whom I will invite to be present have an opportunity to judge of the quality of intelligence engaged in the upkeep and care of a public service which has cost them in the neighborhood of a million dollars. Kindly have the negroes employed by Mr. Mote present, too."

No Ill Feeling.

Dr. Nesbitt stated to a Star representative yesterday afternoon when seen at his office that he had made every effort to avoid any unpleasant form of adjustment of difficulties and lack of co-operation that have existed in the relations between the Health Department and the Water and Sewerage Department, but declared that the situation had reached such a state that he welcomed any means that might offer to get proper service.

"During the past two years and five months," Dr. Nesbitt stated further, "repeated efforts have been made to adjust the work of the Health Department to that of the Water and Sewerage Department so that the best interests of the public could be served, both in the way of efficiency and economy. Failure to secure the desired results has not been due so much to the Councilman in charge of the department as to the fact that the officials, specifically the Superintendent of Water and Sewerage and the Assistant Superintendent of Sewers, to whom the work is intrusted, have not been able for some reason to render acceptable service.

"In my conferences with members of the present Council, especially Mr. Jones, since he has been in charge of Water and Sewerage, I have been impressed with the desire on their part to give efficient service and information. I was invited to attend the meetings of the Special Committee which recently reported but through an inadvertence for which I was not responsible, I was not notified of the time or place of any meetings they held. I am sure that this neglect was not intentional on the part of any member of the committee. There is no ill feeling on my part toward either of the officials mentioned by me in this connection, and I have no desire whatever to create any unpleasantness or friction. The sanitation of the city is being seriously interfered with under their management. There is evidence of waste of time and material, the people are being subjected to expense, annoyance and discomforts that are unnecessary, the laws are being ignored, and it is high time that the citizens of Wilmington have an opportunity to state publicly the substance of hundreds of complaints that they have made to this office.

"I hope that every citizen who has suffered from this lack of efficiency in our most costly and important municipal service will be present at this meeting on Monday night at the Mayor's office at 8 o'clock which Councilman Jones has so kindly and so wisely arranged."

STATIONS CLOSE TOO EARLY

Mr. Walter W. Love Requests Chamber of Commerce to Take Action About Freight Warehouses.

That the present practice of the Seaboard Air Line and Atlantic Coast Line railroads in having their freight warehouses in Wilmington closed for the reception of outbound shipments after 4 o'clock in the afternoon is causing the jobbers of the city serious inconvenience was the statement made yesterday at the regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce by Mr. Walter W. Love, of the firm of Love & Woody. It is practically impossible to fill orders the same day that come in after noon on account of its being impossible to get them to the freight stations by 4 o'clock, he stated.

In the absence of President L. E. Hall, who is attending the convention of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Convention in Savannah, Mr. H. Lacy Hunt, vice president of the Chamber, presided at the meeting yesterday, which was held at 4 o'clock. Mr. Hunt thought Mr. Love's grievance one that should be considered by the traffic committee and he was asked to write a letter to the chairman calling attention to this matter. Mr. Hunt also requested that any others who feel that the freight warehouses should remain open until later also write to the Chamber of Commerce, stating their reasons for objecting to this course.

The warehouses formerly closed at 6 o'clock but a little more than a year ago, the hour was moved up to 5 o'clock. At that time the matter was taken up by the traffic committee of the Chamber of Commerce, but on account of the depression incident to the outbreak of the European war, the railroads asked that they not be forced to remain open until so late in the afternoon as it would necessitate the employing of a larger force. After going into the matter thoroughly it was decided by the committee that the objection was a legitimate one. Later the hour was moved up to 4 o'clock, this being some eight or ten months ago.

Mr. J. W. Buck suggested that it would be a splendid idea for the Chamber of Commerce to offer a prize of say $5 to each county in this section to the school boy or girl submitting the best essay on why he or she considered the county in which they live a desirable one. Mr. Buck thought that this would provide excellent advertising material, as the articles would be written from the standpoint of residents which may be very different from that of an outsider. He said that he had considered the matter carefully and he believed that this proposition could be carried out very successfully through the different county superintendents of public instruction.

Mr. C. Van Leuven endorsed Mr. Buck's suggestion and, while the Chamber might not have the funds to carry it out, it might be possible to secure the money from private sources, he thought. He moved that Secretary Branch bring it to the attention of the executive committe at its next meeting.

In Memoriam.

The following resolution was adopted by a rising vote in memroy of the late S. W. Sanders, a member of the Chamber:

"We, your committee to draft resolutions in memory of Mr. S. W. Sanders, who was for many years a useful member of this body, beg leave to submit the following:

"Whereas, In view of the loss we have sustained by the decease of our friend and fellow member, S. W. Sanders, and the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That it is a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting his removal from our midst, we mourn for one who was, in every way, worthy of our respect and regard.

"Resolved, That we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased on the dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict them, and commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best and whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

"Resolved, That by the death of Mr. Sanders, this Chamber has lost a most valuable, useful and influential member.

"Resolved, That this heart-felt testimonial of our sympathy and sorrow be spread upon the minutes of this body and a copy of same be sent to the family of our departed friend.

"Respectfully submitted,

"H. McL. GREEN,
"GEO. W. CHESNUTT,
"Committee."

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: New Hanover Transit Company to Mrs. Florence H. Caldwell, for $10 and other considerations, lot at Carolina Beach; Sol Sternberger and wife to W. R. K. Slocumb, for $50 and other considerations, lot on the north side of Wooster, 166 feet east of seventh; Frank P. Lamb and wife to E. J. Bush and wife, for $100 and other considerations, tract of land in Cape Fear township, containing five acres.

FEATURES FOR CORN SHOW

Floats and Line of March for Big Parade Announced—Partial Programme Given Out—Events

A partial announcement of the programme and a completed list of the floats and the line of march for the parade, which will be the big feature Wednesday, November 17th, were the more important features of the preliminary arrangements yesterday for the Corn Show.

The show will be open to the public at 11:45 Tuesday morning and Mayor Moore is scheduled to make the address of welcome at 12 o'clock. It has been decided to have the judges officially designate the prize winners before the opening of the show and the time set for this is from 9 to 12 o'clock on Tuesday. It is expected that all exhibits will be placed and in readiness before this time. Prof. W. N. Hutt, horticulturist of the State Agricultural Department, has been requested to have two men from the department, who will act as judges with the local committee, here Tuesday morning. The prizes offered by the Agricultural Department will also be decided at this time. Further announcement of other features for Tuesday will be made later.

The show will open Wednesday at 10 o'clock and the parade, which will be of special interest on this day, will form and start from Tenth and Market streets at 11 o'clock. At 2 o'clock Mrs. Henley, who is working in the interest of the Girls' Canning Clubs of the State, and will be sent here by Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon, of Raleigh, will talk to the ladies on this subject. Other features will be arranged for Wednesday night. On Thursday from 11 to 1 o'clock short talks will be made by prominent farmers on interesting agricultural topics. Among the speakers on Wednesday will be Dr. F. W. Owen, of the Agricultural Department, who will have an exhibit with reference to the treatment of swine for cholera. Special attention is called to his exhibit and his address. A special musical programme by the band has been arranged for Thursday afternoon. On Friday Mr. L. B. Cook, the Bureau of Animal Industry, of the United States Department of Agriculture, will make an address on dairying. The time set for this will be announced later. Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock will be the hour for the Baby Show. A fuller announcement of the programme will be made later.

The Parade Wednesday.

The big parade Wednesday, the line of march and the local business firms who will have floats, were announced yesterday by Chairman Ames, as follows:

Line of March—From between 10th and 12th streets on Market; Market to Third; Third to Red Cross; Red Cross to Front; Front to Castle; Castle to Fifth; Fifth to Market; Market to Tenth.

Parade—Police Squad; Hanover Concert Band; W. L. I.; Rotary Club; Y. M. C. A. Boosters.

Floats—Atlantic Paint & Varnish Co., Astyptodyne Chemical Co., Armour & Company, Atlantic Coast Veneering Co., J. Edwin Bunting, J. T. & J. O. Brown, Boney & Harper Milling Company, Bear & Company, Chadbourn Lumber Co., Cements Products Co., Coca-Cola Bottling Works, Clark-Lynch Lumber Co., Cape Fear Oil Co., Cantwell Lumber Co., Cape Fear Machine Works, Carolina Metal Products Co., Delgado Mills, Boy Scouts, Evening Dispatch, Farris Bakery, Farmers' Association, Ford Auto Co., Frost Ice Cream Co., H. L. Fennell's Autos, Globe Baking Co., Greenfield Milling Co., Harriss Typewriter & Adv. Co., Housewives' League, Independent Ice Co., Lassiter-McDuffie Co., Matthews Candy Co., Miss Lucy B. Moore, Roger Moore Sons' & Co., W. D. MacMillan, Mint Cola Co., Princess Pop Corn Co., Pepsi Cola Bottling Co., T. D. Piner, Price Bros., Mfg. Shoes, Pitman Basket Factory, Plate Ice Company (Plate), Wm. Rehder, Royal Baking Co., Sorosis, auto float; Standard Oil Co., Shepard Chemical Co., Southern Sign Shop, Swift & Company, The Texas Co., Tidewater Power Co., United Farm Women, Wrightsboro; Wilmington Iron Works, Willard Bag Mfg. Company, Wilmington Stamp & Printing Co. Wilmington Fire Department.

Mr. Cook on Dairying.

It was announced yesterday by Dr. T. B. Carroll, meat and dairy inspector, that Mr. L. B. Cook, of the dairy division of the Department of Agriculture, will be here on Friday, the 19th, during the Corn and Agricultural Show to give an illustrated lecture on dairying. This address by Mr. Cook has been heard at other places by Wilmington people, who know it to be a most interesting and helpful lecture for those interested in dairying. Mr. Cook is said to know a surprising amount of facts and figures regarding the advantages of having the dairy industry in a community, which he tells in an entertaining manner that drives the main principles home so that they can be understood by all.

Dr. Charles T. Nesbitt, county health officer, considers this an important phase of public health work and is gratified to know that local dairymen will get the benefit of Mr. Cook's experience in operating their dairies, and thinks the people of the city will get better methods of handling the milk supply put into practice.

Mr. L. B. Sasser received yesterday four bales of hay from Mr. Walter Keith, of Long Creek, and three boxes of potatoes from Mr. J. E. Henry, of the same place, to be placed on display. Many other exhibits are expected to arrive today and tomorrow.

FINED FOR SHOOTING AT WIFE.

Nathan Crawford, Colored, Found Guilty in Recorder's Court.

Only a short session of Recorder's court was held yesterday, in which only one man was found guilty. Nathan Crawford, colored, tried several days ago on a charge of shooting at his wife with a pistol, was given a hearing and found guilty. Judgment was suspended upon payment of costs. Herbert Larkins was acquitted of the charge of assaulting a female.

Frank Hooper, Mary Green and Nora Sumter, all colored, who have been up for vagrancy several days, had their cases again continued until today.

Pampey Lyons, colored, charged with striking Mago Best with a buggy shaft, will be given another hearing today. Alex Oldham, alias Clarence Wilson, and Mago Best, all colored, will be given another hearing today on a charge of assault with deadly weapon.

Wrestling Tonight.

Leo Pardello, Italian heavyweight champion, against Fritz Hanson, Woolvin Hall tonight.

(Advertisement.)

CRIMINAL DOCKET FINISHED

Many Cases Disposed of Yesterday by Judge Conner—Civil Calendar Now Being Tried.

The criminal docket in Federal Court was disposed of yesterday afternoon and the trial of civil cases will take up the remainder of the term. There were quite a number of cases tried yesterday and one defendant was given a prison sentence while others were taxed with the costs. There were many witnesses in the different cases and Deputy Clerk S. P. Collier said that it looked like old times to see so many people in court. Most of the cases were for illicit distilling.

R. B. McGee, of Cumberland, an old crippled Confederate soldier, was convicted of illicit distilling and was given a year and a day in the Federal prison in Atlanta. Witnesses said that he was an offender of long standing and while the circumstances were peculiarly unfortunate, the court felt that the defendant would have to be punished.

Isam Stanley, colored, of Brunswick county, was given 30 days in the county jail and ordered to pay a fine of $100 and the costs for illicit distilling. Roscoe McKoy, colored, of Cumberland county, pleaded guilty to retailing and judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs. Walter McEachern, colored of Robeson county, was ordered to pay the costs for retailing.

Chester and Calvin Watkins, of Columbus county, were found not guilty of a charge of illicit distilling. A capias was issued for Isam Russ, of Columbus county, who failed to appear to answer to a charge of retailing. Judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs in a case against David Carlyle, of Brunswick county, who was convicted of illicit distilling.

Annie McDonald, colored, who was charged with stealing some towels from the United States Marine Hospital in Wilmington while employed there, was found not guilty and was discharged.

Judge Connor pronounced judgment in the different cases practically as fast as they were tried and no sentences were given yesterday for those disposed of on previous days.

Only one case on the civil docket was taken up yesterday, this being that of Robert J. Watkins against the Cape Fear Lumber Company, J. C. Steele and Faison Lee. An order was issued by the court remanding the case back to Duplin Superior Court. The plaintiff is represented by H. D. Williams, Esq., of Kenansville, and Simmons and Ward, of Newbern, and Langston and Allen, of Goldsboro and Stevens, Beasley and Weeks appear for the defendant.

HANDICAP MATCH WITH BIG ITALIAN TONIGHT

Wrestling Fans are Promised Plenty of Entertainment at Woolvin Hall.

The wrestling fans who have been following the game here will be entertained with a match which has been arranged for tonight and which will see Fritz Hanson working for the most part, purely on a defensive basis. Leo Pardello, the Italian heavyweight champion arrived yesterday from Norfolk, with the intention of throwing Hanson three times within the space of an hour. Whether or not he will be able to accomplish this, will be demonstrated at Woolvin Hall tonight at 8:30 o'clock.

Hanson is making no boasts whatever as to the result. He realizes, as do all who follow wrestling closely, that Pardello is one of the best wrestlers before the public. The Italian is a heavyweight and will weigh about 200 pounds when he enters the ring. Hanson will weight from 45 to 50 pounds less than the visitor.

The local management has gone to considerable expense in securing Pardello. In the visitor they have closed a date with one of the most noted wrestlers before the public. Pardello has recently met some of the skilled heavyweights in the country. In Norfolk Wednesday night, he and Dr. F. B. Roller had a spirited match. It is needless to attempt to introduce Roller, for even the most ignorant followers of athletics know that he has been a contender for the heavyweight championship of the world, having wrestled Gotch once or twice.

The Pardello match was arranged to take the place of the scheduled event with Joe Miller. The latter challenged Hanson last Friday night. Tuesday Miller telegraphed that he had dislocated his shoulder and would be compelled to ask that his match be postponed. A number of applicants sent telegraphic applications to meet Hanson. The management, however, concluded that only a wrestler of known ability would be taken on. Pardello chanced to be in Norfolk and he wired his terms.

Pardello has offered to throw Hanson three times in an hour. The Swede is in good condition, and though he will weigh 50 pounds less than the Italian, Hanson believes that he has a fine chance to prevent Pardello's putting his shoulders to the mat once every 20 minutes.

The tourney will start at 8:30 o'clock and it is expected that a large crowd will gather to witness this match. Ladies accompanied by escorts will be admitted free.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

October Activities of the Associated Charities.

The following report of the receipts and disbursements for the month of October, 1915, was made yesterday by the treasurer of the Associated Charities:

Receipts, New Hanover county, $200; Miss Elsa Munds, $10; Mr. H. W. Konig, $1; Mr. C. Van Leuven, $10; Miss Lucile Murchison, $15; Mrs. W. 32. Disbursements: Secretary's salary, $33.33; Catherine Kennedy Home, $12.50; groceries, $211; rent for those in need, $18.50; cash help, $2.51; railroad fare, $1.25; janitor, $1.20; telephone, $2.33. The total receipts were $238, while the total disbursements amounted to $282.62.

Trolley Car Runs Into Auto.

The fender and front wheel guards of the automobile of Mr. John R. Hanby were badly broken up yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Front and Chestnut streets when a trolley car going south ran into the car. Mr. Hanby had been to the postoffice and was coming down Chestnut street. A negro drayman was coming up Front street going north. The horse did not relish being crowded and promptly sat down upon the ground. The attention of both the motorman on the trolley car and of Mr. Hanby was diverted towards the horse and his actions. Mr. Hanby had stopped his car but had not had time to back his machine out of the way.

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YOUTH, A MISTAKE; MANHOOD, A STRUGGLE; OLD AGE, A REGRET!

How many lives can be summed up in those ten words? How many failures can be traced to the mistakes of those who neglected to save money in youth, to meet the added responsibilities of manhood and the burdens of old age?

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Gluten is the strength or nutrition in flour. Larabee's Best Flour contains about twenty per cent. more gluten than soft wheat flour.

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The rich nutty flavor in Larabee's Best Flour differentiates it from all other flours; it is milled by a special process which retains the natural wheat flavor.

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1 piece All Wool Black Serge, 48 inches wide; $1.00 goods . . .69c
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1 48-in. Navy Poplin. 79c
1 48-in. French Serge, in Blue and Black; $1.00 goods; Sale Price 63c
3 pieces 44-in. All Wool Storm Serge; $1.00 goods 63c

EMBROIDERY FLANNELS

We have in the Gaylord stock about 10 pieces beautiful Embroidery Flannels, all of which has been cut in prices ¼ to ½ Off
1 piece Embroidered Flannel; was 50c; Today 39c
1 piece Embroidered Flannel; was 75c; Today 49c
1 piece Embroidered Flannel; was 85c; Today 68c
2 pieces Embroidered Flannel; was $1.25; Today 89c
1 piece Embroidered Flannel; was $1.25; Today 83c

HERE IS ANOTHER "SELL IT FOR LESS"

Just for Friday; both vests and pants; the celebrated Ladies' Queen Quality Underwear; makes most 75c Underwear jealous; just for today 39c
18c Kimona Crepes; a few left at 10c

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36-in. All Wool Storm Serges, all colors 39c
42-in. Crepe Cloth, Blue and Black; $1.00 goods; Sale Price 69c
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We have in the stock about 100 pieces of Cheap and Fine Art Draperies and Silkalines. We have arranged these on a Special Counter for Today's selling. Every piece very materially reduced. Read this:

3 pieces pretty Silkaline, 36 in. wide 7½c
5 pieces Silkaline, 12 1-2 to 15c values 10c
5 pieces Heavy Fancy Art Drapery; sold from 18 to 25c; Today 15c
6 pieces Very Fine, Heavy, Dark or Light designs; sold 25 to 35c; all 36 in. wide; Today 18c
8 to 12 pieces Very Heavy and Beautiful Patterns, Art Draperies; hardly a piece sold for less than 50c, few at 38c; now, to clean the lot, we put them, Today 25c

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

There will be a meeting of St. Paul's Episcopal Guild this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the president.

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Misses Irene Forsythe and Fannie Neil Kirk and Mr. Josiah A. Maultsby, of Whiteville, spent yesterday in the city, guests at The Orton.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. GeBott, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cann and Miss Jessie M. Davis, of Bolton, were in the city yesterday, guests at The Orton.

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Clarkton, N. C., Nov. 11.—The Ionian Serenaders will give the second entertainment of the lyceum course in the school auditorium here Friday night.

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The Ladies' Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon in the ladies' parlor of the church. A full attendance is desired.

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Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Mrs. E. Y. Wooten, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Herring, on Ramsey street. Mrs. Wootten is the mother of Mrs. Herring."

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Mrs. T. J. Joyner and daughter, Miss Marguerite, of Lakeland, Fla., passed through the city yesterday en route to Willard, N. C., where they have been called on account of the illness of Mrs. Joyner's mother.

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A reception will be given this evening from 8 to 11 o'clock at the First Baptist church in honor of the acting pastor, Rev. W. Marshall Craig, and his bride. All members of the congregation are invited to attend.

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There will be a regular business meeting of the Department of Civics and Home Economics of Sorosis this morning at 11:30 o'clock in the club rooms on North Third street. This is the last meeting before the Corn Show and all members are urged to attend.

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In keeping with the appointment of November 12 as a day of prayer for all women's missionary societies in America, the Mengert Missionary Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will have a prayer meeting this afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock in the Luther Memorial building.

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Wilson, N. C., Nov. 11.—Mrs. T. W. Lingle, of Davidson College, comes to Wilson Saturday to address the Wilson Woman's Club concerning "Moonlight Schools." Mrs. Lingle is touring Eastern Carolina in the interest of the work. She is the president of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs.

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In the list of prizes offered by Sorosis announced in yesterday's paper, it should have been stated that the month's tuition in the Cape Fear studio, offered by Misses Hicks and Symmes, is for the best original work (not copy) in drawing or painting by a child who has had no previous training.

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Wilson, N. C., Nov. 11.—Wilson is one town where the Oxford Orphanage Singing Class always has the right-of-way and always leaves town with happy hearts and a large purse. The class gave a concert Thursday night and the audience was above the capacity of the auditorium and in addition a liberal check was handed the manager over and above the receipts from the concert.

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The Ladies Missionary Society of Immanuel Presbyterian church will give a stereopticon lecture tonight in Immanuel Hall. The pictures will be of Brazil, South America, and will be explained by Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of the church. No charge will be made for admission, but a free will offering will be taken for the benefit of missions.

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The regular business and social meeting of Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church will be held tonight in the church parlors at 8:15 o'clock. An especially attractive programme has been arranged. Music by one of the city's best quartettes will be one of the features and those who prefer instrumental music will not be disappointed. The society is thoroughly alive and those who attend will be pleasantly occupied throughout the entire evening.

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A beautiful wedding was celebrated last evening at Grace Methodist church when Miss Dunnie Dail, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dail, of this city, became the bride of Mr. Fletcher B. Robinson. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 o'clock by Rev. J. D. Bundy. The bride is one of the popular nurses at the James Walker Memorial Hospital and the groom is an employe of the Tidewater Power Company. They both have a host of friends who wish them much happiness.

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MISS JANIE BELLE SMITH HOSTESS AT CASTLE HEIGHTS

Miss Janie Belle Smith entertained a number of her friends at a party Wednesday night, at her home at Castle Heights. Numerous games were played during the evening. Dainty refreshments were served, and the evening was enjoyed by everyone who was so fortunate as to be present. All voted Miss Smith a most charming hostess.

Among those present were, Misses Lucy Ganey, Daisy Smith, Carrie McInnis, Margaret Hufham, Annie Saunders, Lessie River, Effie McInnis, Lillie Mae Allen, and Messrs. Belton Long, Eugene Allen, Julius Drew, John Haddock, L. Herring and Robert Arthur.

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MAGETTE-GILLERLAIN WEDDING CELEBRATED LAST EVENING

Last evening at 9 o'clock at the home of the bride, No. 714 Grace street, Miss Agnes Gillerlain, daughter of Mrs. Ella Gillerlain, became the bride of Mr. Burbage E. Magette, of Norfolk, Va., Rev. Father C. Dennen performing the ceremony.

The wedding came as a surprise to their many friends, but all the details were carried out beautifully. The parlor was decorated for the occasion with ferns and potted plants. The bride entered, wearing a beautiful costume of blue messaline, trimmed with fur, and carrying a bouquet of bride roses. She was attended by Miss Grace Moore, as maid of honor, while Mr. John Croom was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was given at the home for the wedding party at which all had a most enjoyable time. The groom is with the Marion Lumber Company, of Marion, S. C., where the happy couple will make their home. They will go there this afternoon.

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PROGRAMME TONIGHT IN CHADBOURN MEMORIAL

An interesting programme will be rendered at the entertainment to be given tonight at 8 o'clock in the Chadbourn Memorial building, Winter Park. No admission will be charged, but a silver offering will be taken at the door for the benefit of the mission work of the Ladies' Society. The programme follows:

Greeting by little Miss Elinor Stanford.

Largo, Hendel, by Mrs. Charles Luck and daughters with piano, violin and 'cello.

Reading, "The Reason Why," Miss Margaret Gilbert.

Reading, "Courting in Kentucky," Master Dorsey Kreeger.

Hungarian melody by Mrs. Luck and daughters.

Reading, "The Little Child Shall Lead Them," Miss Rachel Pearsall.

Intermezzo, "Cavalleria Rusticana," Mrs. Luck and daughters.

Reading, "Minnie's Welcome," and "Peach Pie," Miss Rachel Pearsall.

Panquita (Danza Mexicana), Robyn, Mrs. Luck and daughters.

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PRETTY CHURCH WEDDING CELEBRATED AT FREMONT

Fremont, N. C., Nov. 11.—One of the prettiest weddings of the year was solemnized Thursday night in the Christian church here, when Miss Eva Belle Bogue, became the wife of Mr. W. M. Barnes, Jr., of Wilson. Dr. J. C. Caldwell, of the Atlantic Christian College, Wilson, officiated. The church was attractively decorated.

Prior to the wedding service, Miss Harriette Settle, of Wilson, rendered vocal selections with Miss Norma Flowers at the piano. The beautifully gowned attendants were: Dame of honor, Mrs. Zachary Davis, maids of honor, Miss Lois Ham, of Mebane, and Miss Purcell Bogue, of Fremont; bridesmaids, Miesses Iona Strickland and Lewis Barnes; flower girls, Misses Betsie Lee and Evelyn Hooks.

Mr. J. C. Harrell, of Wilson, attended the groom as best man and Messrs. G. A. Robertson and J. G. Mayo, of Fremont, were the groomsmen. The ushers were Messrs. Carl Hooks and John Exum.

The church was crowded with friends and relatives of the young people and the many gifts were tokens of the esteem in which they are held by a large circle of acquaintances.

Following the ceremony, the bride and groom went to Wilson, their future home.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Gray Bogue, of Fremont, and is an attractive and popular young woman. The groom is one of the progressive and successful young business men of Wilson.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Solicitor H. L. Lyon, of Whiteville, is a guest of The Orton.

—Mr. M. V. Harlam, of Kinston, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. H. C. Coffield, of High Point, was in the city yesterday, a guest at the Orton.

—Mr. D. C. Bullard, of Boardman, spent yesterday in the city, registered at The Orton.

—Col. Robert Stride, of Southport, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. J. H. Wiggs, of Smithfield, was a business visitor in Wilmington yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Dr. Dickie returned Wednesday night from Lynchburg, where he had been attending some special business.

—Messrs. H. E. Stewart and E. K. Peterson, of Atkinson, were in the city yesterday, stopping at The Orton.

—Messrs. A. B. Croom, Jr., J. M. Ward and W. G. Davis, of Wilmington, were registered at the Yarborough House in Raleigh yesterday, according to the Raleigh Times list of hotel arrivals.

Mr. Ivar Palmgren will leave today for Rocky Mount, where he will enter the A. C. L. hospital for an operation on his leg. Mr. Palmgren had his leg broken during a baseball game at Sunset Park during the baseball season this summer. His many friends will hope for him a successful operation and a speedy recovery.

—Capt. J. W. Harper is spending a few days in Charlotte and other points in the Western part of the State for a trip on account of his health. There are many who will wish "the genial captain" much improvement upon his return. While Captain Harper is away, Mr. Joseph B. Fox is looking after his steamboat interests on the river.

—The following North Carolinians were registered yesterday at Hotel Wilmington: Messrs. W. F. Morgan, Charlotte; M. W. Teachey, Marion; Harvey Boney and P. K. Teachey, Sno wHill; A. S. Baskins, Greensboro; H. H. Williams, Leesburg; C. L. Short, Newbern; H. B. Williams, Greensboro; C. W. Hodges, Esq., Kinston; A. P. Spencer, Worth.

—The following North Carolinians were registered yesterday at The Orton: H. E. Wells, Columbia; A. E. Dannenberg and A. D. Ward, Newbern; A. E. Smith, Charlotte; Oscar Fussell, Rose Hill; John D. Langston, Goldsboro; H. D. Williams and L. A. Beasley, Kenansville; W. F. Murphy, Wallace; A. B. Holmes, Council; J. Sprunt Newton, Fayetteville; L. W. Barnes, Henderson; J. A. Barker, Lumberton.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Suit was started yesterday in Superior Court by the City of Wilmington against Edward Register and Julian Register. No complaint was filed. C. C. Bellamy, Esq., assistant city attorney represents the plaintiff.

—The schooner Salisbury, 485 tons, in charge of Capt. Gantt, cleared light and sailed yesterday for Jacksonville, Fla. The vessel arrived in port last week from Jersey City, N. J., and discharged a cargo of salt at one of the local wharves.

—Mr. J. T. Wiggins of this city, was recognized by Justice Harriss yesterday afternoon to appear today before him in connection with a charge of having cashed a worthless check in Charlotte about two years ago for $35. The warrant was sworn out by Ira Turner, of Charlotte. Mr. Wiggins states that he has been guilty of no wrong doing in the matter.

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ODD FELLOWS' CONVENTION

Meeting at Whiteville Featured by Public Addresses by Grand Lodge Officers—Officers Elected.

Featured by a public meeting last night in the handsome new Court House in Whiteville at which eloquent addresses were made by Grand Master Thomas L. Green, of Waynesville, and Grand secretary B. H. Woodell, of Raleigh, the convention of Odd Fellows of the Fifth district which was held yesterday with Columbus Lodge, No. 27, at Vineland, was one of the most successful in the history of the organization. The meeting closed last night with the election of officers for the ensuing year and with the selection of Lumberton as the place for the next meeting.

Mr. L. W. Moore, supervisor of the fifth district, and Messrs. M. W. Jacobi, T. L. Landen, J. F. Littleton, S. A. Matthews and H. C. Baird were among those from Wilmington who attended the convention. The other lodges in the district were well represented.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows:

President—Mr. J. A. Tudor, Boardman.

Vice President—Mr. S. A. Matthews, Wilmington.

Secretary—Mr. M. C. Guthrie, Southport.

Treasurer—Sheriff J. T. Best, Whiteville.

Marshall—Mr. R .E. Hill, Vineland.

Sentinel—Mr. I. V. Hooper, Boardman.

Mr. L. W. Moore, of Wilmington, who is supervisor of the district, is appointed by the Grand Master.

The afternoon session of the convention was devoted to hearing reports from the different lodges and the discussions of questions of interest to the members.

The public meeting last night was largely attended and proved to be a most profitable occasion.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS MEET

General James I. Metts Makes Interesting Talk—Gaining Enthusiasm.

The address by General James I. Metts, recently elected commander of the North Carolina Division of the United Confederate Veterans, was the principal feature of the smoker at the W. L. I. armory last night, by the Spanish war Veterans. Commander Metts told of the troubles the Confederate Veterans had in organizing, and what an important work they had to carry on in keeping up the history of North Carolina, as the aged Confederates would soon pass away, and would be unable to carry on the work.

The meeting was called to order by Commander L. Riordan, who made an interesting talk. Capt. W. P. Oldham and Capt. Thomas D. Meares, of the U. C. V. were present and made talks. A number of the members made short enthusiastic talks and the meeting was made probably the most enthusiastic ever held. Enthusiasm is rapidly growing in this important organization.

ELECTRIC THERMOMETER CO.

Organization of Wilmington Enterprise Effected Last Night—Officers.

The National Electric Thermometer Co., incorporated several weeks ago by the Secretary of State, effected an organization last night at the office of the Smith-Davis Co., No. 23 North Second street. The authorized capital stock is $10,000 with stock issued to the amount of $5,500. The officers elected are:

President—Dr. M. J. Carson.

Treasurer—Richard Bradley.

Secretary—C. S. Britt.

Directors—M. J. Carson, L. O. Smith, C. S. Britt, Richard Bradley and F. W. Davis.

The object of the corporation is the manufacture of an electric thermometer, especially designed in the curing of tobacco in barns, for hot houses, cold storage plants, etc., in that a thermometer is so arranged that it may be set so that in case of an excess of temperature over a certain degree a fell alarm will be given and vice versa as to the lowering of temperature below a certain point. The device is the invention of Mr. B. W. Jordan, of Valdosta, Ga., and the owners of the patent feel that in the device they have a wonderful field. The company announces that the devices will be manufactured here.

THE PROGRESSIVE MACCABEES.

Short and Entertaining Meetings Motto of Cape Fear Tent.

Following the regular meeting tonight of Cape Fear Tent, Knights of the Maccabees, an entertainment of unusual character will be given as a result of the new methods of securing members, in which two membership teams have been formed. The meeting will close not later than 10 o'clock is the announcement as Cape Fear tent has a motto that stands for short and entertaining meetings.

All members are asked to show their progressive spirit and join their favorite team, and live up to the progressiveness that characterizes the Maccabees.

DR. MACMILLAN HERE

District Deputy Grand Master to Visit St. John's Lodge.

Dr. W. D. MacMillan, formerly of Wilmington, but who now lives on his farm near Vass, will make an official visitation to St. John's Lodge of Masons tonight at an emergent communication for the purpose of conferring the master's degree. The first section of the degree will be conferred at 6:15 o'clock and at 7:15 o'clock supper will be served. Work will be resumed at 8:15 o'clock.

Did Not Know He Had Kidney Trouble

"Until I applied for life insurance," writes Andrew O'Donnell, Birmingham, Ala., "I did not know that I had kidney trouble, but four physicians who examined me for the company said I had, and each turned me down on account of this insidious trouble. Later I was seriously disabled and used Foley Kidney Pills, and used them persistently, until now one of the same physicians says I'm all right and he will O. K. my application. I have caused many of my friends to buy Foley Kidney Pills."

Overworked kidneys may become inflamed and seriously diseased while the sufferer ignores the warnings. Backache, rheumatism, uric acid in the blood, discolored urine, stiff joints, sore muscles, puffiness under eyes—any and all of these conditions deserve instant attention. Foley Kidney Pills help the kidneys to do their work, soothe and heal irritations and help throw out poisonous waste matter from the system.

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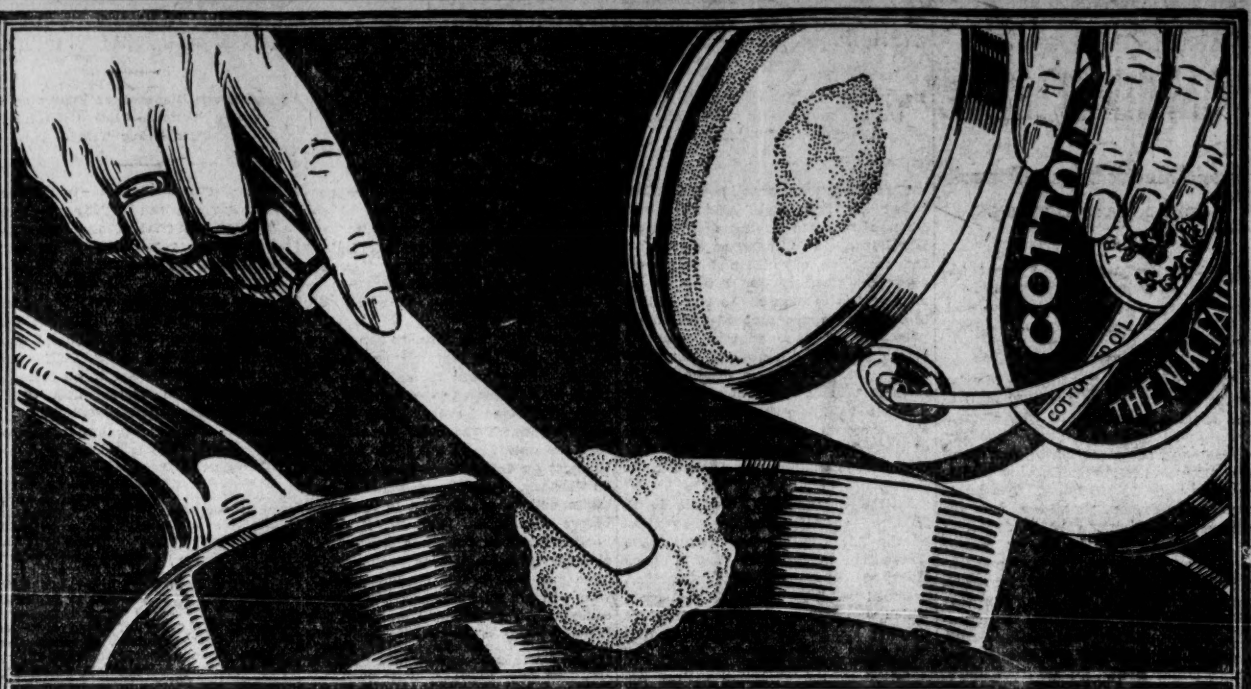

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TO MAKE CANVASS FOR FUNDS

Committee Appointed to Try to Interest Financial Men in Virginia League Baseball.

The baseball fans of the city met last night in the court room of the New Hanover court house for the purpose of solving the problem of securing a berth for Wilmington in the Virginia Baseball League, and appointed a committee to canvass for funds. It was found that the one big trouble is to finance the proposition. Senator W. B. Cooper was present and gave the fans much encouragement and some suggestive ideas that will probably put them in position to enjoy this National sport next season.

Mr. Cooper, seeing the impracticability of getting the fans, who have little money, to finance the project, said he saw his way clear as a business proposition, to offer to do one-tenth of the financing. If a $2,500 corporation is formed, he will subscribe $250, while if a $5,000 corporation is formed, he will subscribe $500. He thought that other wealthy men of the city might see it the same way, if those interested in baseball and its amusement and advertising effect for the city present it to them in the proper light.

On the strength of this a committee, composed of Messrs. Edwin A. Metts, chairman; A. S. Holden, E. H. Munson, W. A. French, L. T. Moore and Col. Chas. A. White, was appointed to make a canvass today among the financial men of the city for interest in baseball. It is hoped that these men can be interested enough that they will attend a meeting, at which Mr. Cooper promised to be present, to solve the problem of the financial end. It will be for the men who put up the money, if they can be interested to that extent, to decide whether they will underwrite, form a stock company and put up the cash, or whatever other method that appeals to them as safe and substantial enough to secure the franchise.

The meeting of the financial men will be urged as soon as it is thought practicable and the result of their meeting will be wired at once to President Boatwright, of the Virginia League, who has called a meeting next Friday to decide whether or not Wilmington can get the Petersburg franchise.

The committee will report at another mass meeting in the Court House Saturday night at 8:15 o'clock on the results of their canvass. A report will also be made of a private canvass among the employes of the A. C. L.

MR. REGISTER ELECTED.

Succeeds Maj. H. W. Stickle as Esteemed Leading Knight of Elks.

At the regular meeting of Wilmington Lodge, No. 832, B. P. O. E., last night, Mr. W. F. Register was unanimously elected as Esteemed Leading Knight to succeed Maj. H. W. Stickle, who removed to Baltimore a few months ago. The usual routine matters were transacted.

BAZAAR FOR RED CROSS.

Germania Club Meets to Arrange for Early December Affair.

An enthusiastic meeting was held last night at the Germania Club to make arrangements for the bazaar to be held in early December for the benefit of the Red Cross Society in caring for wounded German soldiers.

The meeting was well attended and an enthusiastic one. Interesting talks on the subject were made by Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Messrs. M. G. Tiencken, John C. Heyer, H. A. Webber, Frank Meier, E. Poesolt, E. J. Busch and others.

Following the business meeting, a Dutch lunch was served and enjoyed by a large number.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M.

Emergent communication this (Friday) the 12th, for the purpose of conferring the Sublime degree of MASTER MASON.

Also official visitation for examination by the District Deputy Grand Master, Dr. W. D. McMillan.

1st Section at 6:15.

SUPPER SERVED AT 7:30.

2nd Section, at 8:15 P. M.

All members and visiting brothers will be cordially welcomed.

By order of the Master.

A. S. HOLDEN, Secretary.

Sewing Circle With Much Whispering

Before the stork arrives there is much to talk about. The comfort of the expectant mother is the chief topic. And there is sure to be someone who has used or knows of that splendid external help, "Mother's Friend." It is applied to the abdominal muscles, gently rubbed in and has a most pronounced effect as a lubricant. It soothes the network of nerves, enables the muscles to expand naturally, relieves strain on the ligaments and thus acts at ease any undue strain on the organs involved. And it does this with perfect safety. Expectant mothers thus go through the ordeal with comparative ease and comfort. Knowing mothers who have used "Mother's Friend" speak in glowing terms of the absence of morning sickness, absence of strain on the ligaments and a freedom from many other distresses.

One of the most important symptoms to be relieved by "Mother's Friend" is the imagination that so often disturbs repose. Pains, even though natural, may so distort the mind that undue apprehension will sometimes follow. The gentle, soothing influence of "Mother's Friend" gives the mind substantial aid to become conscious of strength and there is a real, physical sensibility of muscular vigor as evidenced by freedom from undue strain.

You can get "Mother's Friend" at any drug store or they will gladly get it for you. Write today to Bradfield Regulator Co., 701 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for a highly instructive book of great value to all expectant mothers. It contains a valuable expectancy chart, rules on diet and is brimful of suggestions that all women will appreciate.

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TEACHERS TO HEAR NOTABLE SPEAKERS

Programme of Annual North Carolina Assembly Issued.

EIGHT ORGANIZATIONS

Community Service Committee to Confer With Farmers' Union—Argument Heard in Flour Mills' Suit—Demonstration.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 11.—The program for the 32nd annual session of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly has been issued from the office of State Superintendent J. Y. Joyner. The meeting place is Raleigh and the dates November 24, 25 and 26. Nine organizations make up the assembly now. Each division has its own attractions and the Raleigh convention of 1915 will have immeasurably the largest number of notables in the teaching profession yet brought to a North Carolina Assembly.

The parent body announces Bishop Thomas C. Darst, of the Eastern North Carolina Diocese, as assembly preacher; Dr. Bruce Payne, president of George Peabody College for Teachers; Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia; Hon. Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy; Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education for Massachusetts, and H. W. Feght, specialist in rural education and representing the United States Bureau of Education.

Eight Allied Organizations.

The eight allied organizations have their individual stars. The North Carolina Primary Teachers' Association, the most powerful of the subordinate bodies and largest of the divisions, will have Miss Leila Cobb, eminent North Carolina teacher now superintending the Edinboro, Pa., Normal school, and Miss Anna Brochhausen, supervisor of the elementary grades in the great schools of Indianapolis, Ind. They will address also the association of kindergarten teachers.

The Grammar Grade teachers and principals have brought Dr. A. E. Winship, editor of the Journal of Education, Boston, Mass., to speak to that body Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, and Dr. David Snedden, leader of the educational forces in Massachusetts, for Friday following. He will address the High School teachers and principals, also; will appear before the whole assembly and speak finally to the Association of City Superintendents.

These several associations will have their own leaders and the programs will be filled. For the second time the Association of Music Teachers will meet in Raleigh. Dr. Winship will speak to this association on the value of music for educational service and Greensboro will send a trio of her best musicians to give the music teachers entertainment. The return of the assembly after an absence of a year imposes upon the city the task of playing host well enough to make the meeting place permanent.

Argument in Flour Case.

Attorney General T. W. Bickett, for the State Department of Agriculture, and Mr. Guthrie, of Tillett & Guthrie, Charlotte, for the complainants, argued before Judge Peebles, of the Superior Court, today the noted case of Liberty Mills, et al., vs. Commissioner of Agriculture, in which the plaintiffs seek an order restraining the Department of Agriculture from enforcing the State statute imposing a $25 tax on each mill putting artificially bleached flour on the North Carolina markets and requiring that all packages of such flour be marked "artificially bleached."

The contention of Mr. Guthrie, for the petitioners, is that the statute is unconstitutional and the tax discriminatory and that the system of bleaching the flour is entirely harmless. On the other hand, Attorney General Bickett sets up the defense that the people have a right to know that the flour is artificially bleached and not from that high class of grain that makes the naturally white flour; that the tax merely covers the expense of the State of the collection of the samples and the analysis as to conformity with the law and its enforcement. Judge Peebles will make his ruling in the case with the least possible delay. The case is to go through to the Supreme Court as speedily as possible. There are 40-odd flour mills, including all the principal mills in and out of the State that supply the North Carolina market, that are parties to the suit as complainants.

Farm Demonstration Train.

The State Department of Agriculture is preparing to supply a staff of division experts, demonstrators and lecturers for a special farm demonstration train that the Norfolk & Western and the Winston-Salem Southbound will operate over these lines in this State beginning at Durham November 23. The train will work all the principal stations from Durham to the Virginia line and then back from Durham to Wadesboro and over the Winston-Salem Southbound to Winston-Salem. It will be a train of five cars with full equipment for demonstration and lectures, two of the cars being equipped for auditorium purposes.

Conference with Farmers' Union.

The State Committee on Community Service has called for a conference with the State Farmers' Union in open meeting when the Union holds its annual convention in Durham next week. The members of the committee are Clarence Poe, president of the Conference for Social Service its first two years and now chairman of the State committee; W. C. Crosby, secretary; J. Y. Joyner, W. A. Graham, F. K. Graham, Mrs. T. W. Lingle, J. I. Foust, H. Q. Alexander, D. H. Hill, Paul Jones, J. Walter Long, W. S. Rankin, T. B. Parker, W. J. Shuford and A. W. McAllister.

The three great bodies with which the community service committee works, are the State Department of Education, the State Department of Agriculture, and the State Farmers' Union. The committee does not announce the full purpose of this conference, but Moonlight School Month as this is, it is fully understood that a furtherance of the work now being done and to be done in coming campaigns will be discussed.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—Rush Vass, of Wilmington, has been appointed a bookkeeper in the Department of Agriculture and John Parker, of Goldsboro, has been appointed a rural delivery carrier.

THEATRICAL

Henry W. Savage considers "Everywoman," the dramatic spectacle which he will offer here shortly, the greatest triumph of his career as a producer. The production represents a cash outlay of sixty thousand dollars. The cast is one of the most distinguished that has been assembled in many years. Over one hundred and fifty people are employed in one of the big scenes which represents a carnival on Broadway, New York, at midnight on New Year's Eve.

Ella Hall at Bijou.

Golden-haired Ella Hall, "The darling of the films," the dearest little girl that God ever made, as some of her admirers have named her—the sweetest little flower that ever bloomed unsullied in this hard, matter-of-fact world—plays the leading role in "Jewel," the great Broadway Universal Feature at the Bijou today.

Never was a dainty little actress better cast than is Ella Hall in the film version of Clara Louise Burnham's delightful novel. The author could not have had her book acted by a more charming little actress; indeed, one would be tempted to suspect that Mrs. Burnham had written her novel around Miss Hall if the evidence was not to the contrary.

ELLA HALL
Starring in "Jewel," at The Bijou Today

"Jewel" was produced by Lois Weber, and her feminine touch can be seen throughout this fragile photo-dramatic gem. The production has been described as "The Cameo of the Films," the daintiest, sweetest, tensest ever written. It is the sort of a play that makes you shake off your grouch; the worst old malevolent misanthrope out of captivity will come away from a performance of "Jewel" with laugh dimples in his wrinkles and dried remainders of tears well spent upon his transformed features. To miss seeing "Jewel" is to deny ourselves something which we need to improve our existence. Don't miss "Jewel" at the Bijou today. This is a straight tip, and if you miss it, your friends will make you wish you hadn't.

Selig Diamond Special at Grand.

Today the Grand will offer a three-reel Selig Diamond Special, "The Bridge of Time." The author of the "Diamond from the Sky" is credited with writing this three-reel masterpiece. Mr. McCardell's effort has many pronounced merits. The story covers a wide field of action and deals skilfully and interestingly with two distinctly connected periods of time—the days of Queen Elizabeth and the present. Harry Mestayer, Guy Oliver, Virginia Kirtley, Bert Garsby, William Sheerer and Eugenie Besserer have been well cast and give the picture the stamp of reality.

"Her Soul Revealed," a remarkable story of the tenements, in which a butterfly of the stage is brought by love to a realization of how the other half lives and dies. The cast includes Charles Perley, Augusta Anderson, Laura LaVarnie and the great child performer, Zoe Beach. Don't overlook the Grand's great Saturday program headed by the last of the "Mysteries of the Grand Hotel" series, "The Man in Irons." In this two-reel Kalem you will see more exciting incidents than in the entire series.

Now for a real funny one of George Ade's, that always makes good. "Fable of the Statesman Who Didn't Make Good." It is positively a scream.

"Little Dutch Girl"—Royal.

In the World Film Corporation's five-act photoplay "The Little Dutch Girl," directed by Emile Chautard, and

"Five Acts of Pathos," Royal Today.

which is on at the Royal today, Vivian Martin, the personification of diminutive winsomeness, grace and beauty on the screen, has a part which will surely delight her countless admirers in film fandom. Miss Martin has made a personal success in all of the features in which she has appeared, and in "The Little Dutch Girl" she makes a delightful addition to the list.

As "The Little Dutch Girl" she develops from a homeless foundling into a pretty maiden whose foster father dies, leaving her alone in the world with a few coins, a cottage and a flower garden. She attracts the love of an artist, but in returning it she finds that her ideal is of very common clay; a Bohemian with feminine friends of doubtful morals. So the poor little Dutch girl goes away.

It is a poem as well as a picture, with very pleasing views and sets and a cast of clever actors and actresses to support the beautiful young star, Vivian Martin. She is the cleverest, and is certainly the prettiest girl, ever seen in pictures, and her popularity is rapidly increasing. Royal patrons should not fail to see this feature today.

Tomorrow, the great official production, "Guarding Old Glory," in five great acts.

COMPULSORY ENLISTMENT IS INTIMATED BY LORD DERBY

Makes Statement With Authority of the Prime Minister.

London, Nov. 11.—A strong intimation of compulsion, at an early date is contained in a statement tonight by the Earl of Derby, director of recruiting. This statement is made, Lord Derby declares, with the authority of the prime minister. It says:

"If young men medically fit and not indispensable in any business of national importance or any business conducted for the general good of the community do not come forward voluntarily before November 30 the government, will, after that date, take the necessary steps to redeem the pledge made on Novemebr 2."

On the date referred to Premier Asquith announced in the House of Commons if young men did not come forward voluntarily and enlist "other and compulsory means would be taken before married men were called upon to fill their engagements to serve."

Lord Derby adds: "Whether a man is indispensable or not to his business will be decided, not by the man or his employer, but by competent authorities and tribunals which are being set up to consider such cases."

H. C.RUPPERT KILLS WIFE AND THEN COMMITS SUICIDE

Occurred in Hotel in New York—Formerly of Richmond, Va.

New York, Nov. 11.—H. Carl Ruppert, a real estate and bond broker of Richmond, Va., shot and killed his wife and then killed himself in an up-town hotel today. From a diary left by Ruppert describing his movements in the last three days, the police learned the couple had frequent quarrels. A notebook containing the names of persons in Richmond to be notified in case of emrgency was found among Ruppert's effects.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 11.—Henry C. Ruppert, late president of H. C. Ruppert & Co., prominent in the real estate market here, wound up his business two months ago, sold out his handsomely furnished home and left Richmond with the announcement that he was going with his wife to Los Angeles for his death.

WILL TAKE UP APPEALS FOR CHANGING RESERVE DISTRICTS

Federal Reserve Board Expects to Meet for the Purpose Next Week.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The Federal Reserve Board expects to take up next week appeals which have been pending for many months for changes in the geographical limits of the twelve Federal Reserve districts, or changes in the location of reserve banks.

Before any of the cases is decided upon its merits, it was said tonight, the board will undertake to determine the principle which shall govern in all. Involved in this is the question of whether the number of reserve banks should be reduced. No vote of the board has been taken on this matter, but it is known some members feel that 12 banks are not needed. Attention has been drawn particularly to the fact that four of the twelve lost money during the quarter which ended September 30.

New York, Nov. 11.—To meet the increased requirements of its business, the United States Steel Corporation today announced proposed improvements at its plants in Indiana, Pennsylvania and Ohio, involving an outlay approximating $10,000,000.

CELEBRATED ENGLISH POET AT TRINITY COLLEGE TONIGHT

Dr. B. F. Sledd Also Has Engagement. New Book Published.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Trinity College, N. C., Nov. 11.—Alfred Noyes, the celebrated English poet who is lecturing in various sections of the country before going in the spring to Princeton University to fill his engagement as visiting professor of English literature, is to deliver a lecture here tomorrow evening. The college has sought to get an engagement with Mr. Noyes for two years, and the entire community is looking forward to his coming.

Dr. Benjamin F. Sledd, professor of English at Wake Forest College, is to lecture here on November 17, under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club chapter of the Sigma Upsilon Literary Fraternity. Dr. Sledd is to choose himself the subject of his address, but it is expected that he will speak upon some topic suggested by his recent tour in Europe on a traveling fellowship of the Kahn Foundation.

There appeared from the press during the past week a very interesting and useful book entitled "Some Principles of Teaching as Applied to the Sunday School," by Dr. Edgar W. Knight, assistant professor of education here. Dr. Knight has conducted teacher-training classes in many Sunday schools in the State, and this book is largely based upon the material used in these courses.

Announcement was made today that Mr. Robert Doak, for several years successful basketball coach at Elon College, has been secured to coach the Trinity team this season. Mr. Doak will arrive on Monday to take charge of the team.

FAVORS A PREPAREDNESS SUFFICIENT FOR OFFENSIVE

Senator Stone, of Missouri, Particularly Wants Strong Navy.

Washington, Nov. 11.—"I go farther than most advocates of National preparedness who say the nation should be equipped to defend itself against attack: I want this country prepared to take the offensive when it may be necessary," declared Senator Stone, Democrat, of Missouri, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, who returned to the capital today for the 64th Congress.

"I speak particularly for the navy," the Senator continued. "I want a navy powerful enough not only to defend our coasts but strong enough to go out on the high seas for there might come a time when offensive action would be required. A navy strong enough for offensive is a mighty guarantee against attack by other nations."

S. A. L. STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

Adjourn Without Transacting Business—Special Meeting Monday.

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 11.—Stockholders of the S. A. L. railroad met in annual session here today and adjourned until November 23, without transacting any business. This action was taken in view of the fact that a special meeting of the stockholders had been called for Monday, for the purpose of considering and voting upon adoption and ratification of articles of agreement for the merger and consolidation between the Seaboard and the Carolina, Atlantic & Western railroad and the issue of mortgage bonds in the sum of $200,000,000.

RETURNS FROM WAR ZONE.

Frederick Palmer Believes War Will Last Through Winter.

New York, Nov. 11.—Frederick Palmer, who early in the war was designated as the accredited representative of the Associated Press and other American Press Associations with the British armies, returned today on the St. Louis. Mr. Palmer expressed his belief that the war would last at least through the winter.

LOSS ABOUT $1,000,000.

Rumors as to Origin of Fire in Wire Rope Plant at Trenton.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 11.—Approximately $1,000,000 damage was done by fire which early today destroyed a wire rope shop of the John A. Roebling Sons Company's plant in this city. Due to the fact that the company has orders for war material for European countries, rumors were in circulation that the fire was of incendiary origin, but nothing has been found to substantiate such reports.

WHITLOCK WILL RETURN TO BRUSSELS, IT IS EXPECTED

Lansing Sets at Rest Reports That He Will Go to Havre.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Secretary Lansing announced today he expected American Minister Whitlock would return to Brussels, Belgium, after his vacation in the United States, thus setting definitely at rest reports that Mr. Whitlock would go to Havre, the present seat of the Belgium government.

The State Department has under advisement final termination of the future service of G. de Lavel, the Belgian counselor of the American legation. De Lavel's activities as assistant to Minister Whitlock in connection with the case of Miss Cavell, the English nurse executed by the German authorities, made him persona non grata to Germany, and brought about his withdrawal from Belgium.

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THE HOME CIRCLE PAGE

EDITED BY LILIAN CRAIGEN ADAMS

THE SILLY SILHOUETTE AGAIN

Stout Ladies Wear Styles Intended for Slender Girls and Vice Versa.

OH, the silly silhouette!

Say what you like it is really worse this season than ever before.

Walking down town you see before you what looks like a hogshead except that a tapering pin-point structure tops it.

It is walking and you have a weird idea that there is something familiar to you in its motion. On coming closer you discover that the hogshead is really your fat friend, Mrs. Jones, in her new winter garb. Dressed sanely Mrs. Jones does not look to weigh more than her 190 pounds; in her new winter garb she gives the impression that she would turn the scale at 400.

She has on a huge coat of blue duvetyn that ripples over her generous hips as the marcel waves of the sea ripple over the beach; a great belt encircles her waist making her girth seem at least two yards around; the skirt beneath the coat is as full as the fullest of this season's skirts, and as short as the shortest, revealing not only plump ankles but plump calves as well.

To top this picturesque costume Mrs. Jones has squeezed upon her head a tiny, tiny hat under which her face spreads out smiling and good-natured like a piece of dough under a rolling pin.

"My dear," she says when you come up to her, "how do you like me?"

Now who could be so heartless as to answer that question truthfully? Not you, certainly. So you evade it by saying "You look as if you were straight from Paris," which you hope will satisfy her. Apparently it does for she asks no more questions. You walk ten blocks with her, but it is not too much to say that you do it unwillingly. You like Mrs. Jones in her private and personal capacity as a lady but as an exponent of this season's most extreme styles you are ashamed of her.

It is at a dance that you meet Mrs. Smith fresh from the hands of a Parisian dressmaker. She weighs 210 pounds and has a double chin. Her costume is superb; no one would deny that. The underskirt is of silver lace, the full pleated tunic of pink satin. The latter stands out over her hips as if it were wired. She is certainly four yards in diameter.

"Speaking of the Colossus of Rhodes," murmurs a man, looking at her.

It is cruel but then why do not women realize that it is better to be garbed in something less than the extreme of fashion than to look ridiculous.

Mrs. Robinson calls herself to your attention by wearing a postillion hat. The postillion hat, it is hardly necessary to explain, is that one now so popular which resembles a man's silk hat, only that its crown is slightly lower. Mrs. Robinson is not young. Her face is worn; there are crow's feet about her eyes; her hair is tinged with gray. A postillion hat is about as suitable to her as a baby's cap. Why does she wear it?

Probably because it is a new shape. She should have taken a sister with her when she went to buy a hat; if there is one person more than another who tells you the truth about yourself and your faults of features it is a sister.

And these are not all of the horrible examples that you could name. There are stout ladies who wear pannier and bustle drapery, and short-necked ladies who wear collars so high that they look as if their throats were bandaged for tonsilitis, and tiny little women who so envelop themselves in swirling folds of material that they look as broad as they are long and very much like a line full of clothes gone mad.

It is surely a mad season my masters, and yet here and there there emerges some figure which shows how charming the new fashions really are when they are worn by the right sort of people.

IN HER NEW WINTER GARB SHE GIVES THE IMPRESSION THAT SHE WOULD TURN THE SCALES AT 400 LBS
IT IS AT A DANCE THAT YOU MEET MRS SMITH FRESH FROM THE HANDS OF A PARISIAN DRESS-MAKER
MRS ROBINSON CALLS HERSELF TO YOUR ATTENTION BY WEARING A POSTILLION HAT
AND YET HERE AND THERE EMERGES SOME FIGURE WHICH SHOWS HOW CHARMING THE NEW FASHIONS REALLY ARE—
GETTIE

THE BRASS BED IS OUT

And In Its Place Stand Twin Four Poster Beds of Mahogany.

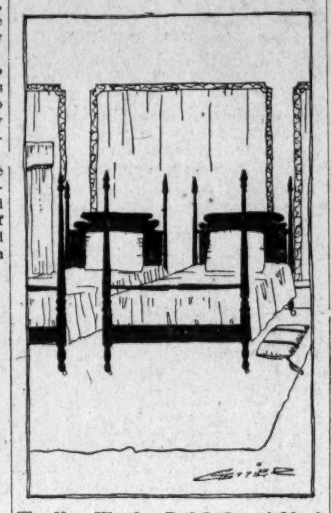
TO say that fashions change is merely to state a truism and yet it does seem sad that we must not only alter our petticoats with the prevailing modes but our furniture as well.

This is merely a preamble to comment on the fact that iron beds and brass beds erstwhile so fashionable, have disappeared and are no more seen in the homes of those who follow the styles.

It seems but a few short months ago since we picked up our wooden beds bodily as it were and cast them into outer darkness, declaring that they were unclean and generally pestiferous.

The four-poster on which Uncle Michael died—and they were pineapple posts too, think of it!—you sold to an old colored man for a song. If you had that four-poster now and were willing to part with it, which you would not be, you could sell it to a dealer for the price of another song—one of Schumann-Heink's say. Yes, the wooden bed is back and more assertive than ever, and it's a lucky she who can produce from the celler an old one of mahogany to put in the guest chamber.

And yet the new wooden bed is not quite like the old one after all. For the old one was many cubits long and many cubits wide and about as big over-all as a city apartment; whereas, the new wooden bed is invariably a single one, large enough for one person and one person only.



The New Wooden Bed Is Invariably A Single One.

In the olden days when a bed was made it was made to accommodate the family—mother, father and at least two children could sleep comfortably within its vast territory; but now that we've grown hygienic and modest nothing but the single bed obtains, and very single at that for it does not allow even one person much room to flounder about in when his conscience is troubling him and he cannot sleep.

And so nowadays at the second-hand man's there is nothing so conspicuous as the brass bed. There is the ornate brass bed with jig-saw-like trimmings for which your Aunt Jane paid $75, and the plain brass bed with the brass wearing off most suspiciously, for which your Cousin Lettice paid a bare $10, and other brass beds which you have known all twinklingly asking someone to purchase them. And in their places at home are twin beds of mahogany with four miniature posts, looking as much like the old-time tester beds as a little elephant looks like a big one.

It does seem a shame that there should be fashions in beds as well as in petticoats, but there are!

A pretty school frock for a girl is of navy blue serge. It is box-pleated from a yoke back and front and has a stitched belt of the material. The hemstitched rolling collar is of white faille silk and is finished with a plaid bow.

THE YOUNG HOUSEKEEPER SAYS

THAT this is the season of seasons for entertaining, what with debutante luncheons and after-the-theatre suppers and dinner parties, and that in consequence hostesses are racking their brains to think of new and delicious dishes to set before their guests. It is a known fact that these latter persons are somewhat critical. They expect a menu worthy of their distinguished consideration when they accept an invitation.

THAT luckily or unluckily as you look at it, the markets are as full of delicious things in winter as in summer and so there need be no difficulty in making up delightful menus; no difficulty that is, unless it is a pecuniary one.

THAT at a luncheon given for a debutante the other day the first course consisted of fruit cocktails. For the uninitiated it may be explained that these consist merely of grapefruit, pineapples, bananas and white grapes cut into pieces and served very cold in double cocktail glasses with a dressing made of one-third cup sherry wine, three tablespoonfuls apricot brandy, a half cup sugar and a few grains of salt. Maraschino cherries are used to garnish the glasses.

A clear soup with which bread sticks were served formed the second course, and after this came squabs, with ...uffed potatoes and French peas; then as a separate course, French artichokes with a Hollandaise sauce, followed by a pepper-stuffed-with-cheese salad and this by ices in the form of dancing girls, with fancy cakes. Coffee was served in the drawing room later. This menu could have been rendered simpler by omitting the separate vegetable course. It could of course have been made much more elaborate in a number of ways, but simplicity is much more the rule now than it was a few years ago. The thing is to have few courses, but to have those of great merit.

Before a dinner given recently tiny sandwiches filled with highly spiced cheese, and crisp celery stalks also stuffed with cheese, were served in the drawing room with the Martini cocktails—this was in a non-Prohibition State, gentle reader, so don't be shocked. The first course at dinner consisted of clams served in green pepper shells with a sauce of catsup, horse-radish and other condiments. This was followed by a delicious bouillion with croutons, and this by individual fillets of beef served with a Bearnaise sauce and accompanied by potato apples and stuffed tomatoes. Asparagus on toast with melted butter sauce was served as a separate course here, and the salad was Romaine with a Roquefort dressing. Ices and cakes followed, and coffee was served in the drawing room.

SEASONABLE JOTTINGS

THE open fireplace has returned to favor and is a part of every up-to-date living room even if coal must be burned in it.

Black walnut furniture is again considered smart and many of the new Queen Anne dining room suites are made of this wood, but the new pieces of furniture are not hideously carved as were the old ones.

The Adam patterns lead in bed room furniture and are very graceful and lovely.

Upholstered pieces for living rooms are covered usually either with velour or with subdued tapestry, and in the latter material the public taste seems to run to rather large figures.

Among the pieces popular for bed and living rooms is the chaise-longue. This may be had either in wicker or wood, cretonne covered, and is as comfortable as it is attractive looking.

Old-fashioned couches with one high end are also seen again.

Dead white materials are seldom used for curtains now but ecru-tinted goods of lighter or darker shades that give some little effect of sunshine are preferred.

The dressing table draped in dust-catching materials is luckily one of the by-gone fads.

The tops of many handsome pieces of furniture are covered with plate glass to protect their surfaces from burns and other accidents. This is especially true of dressing tables.

Mahogany is as popular as ever but black walnut is pushing it hard for first favor.

THE TOWNBREDS & their Country Place

(By Edward Riddle Padgett.)

Never Again for Mr. Townbred

FROM the very day the Townbreds moved to their country place at Five Oaks it was understood that Mrs. Townbred should run it. And this understanding was reached not through choice, or after argument and pleadings on her part, but as a matter of necessity—since Mr. Townbred knew nothing of the country, and his wife did.

Mrs. Townbred was delighted to assume the responsibility, but she insisted that neither the servants nor the chickens, nor the pigs, nor any other stock, for that matter—could serve two masters. Wherefor, it was distinctly and flatly understood that Mr. Townbred should keep "hands off."

Now, if the truth be told, Mr. Townbred had been perfectly willing at first to abide by this agreement. Indeed, he was delighted with it; and he had no false pride, in that respect at least, about being "master in his own house, etc."

But as time went on he forgot the obligation and decided to take a hand in affairs at Five Oaks. So, being that sort, he did it first and then told Mrs. Townbred about it afterwards.

For months now Mr. Townbred had been interested in chickens—theoretically. He had subscribed to several poultry journals and had perused them avidly at his office; but his activities had been confined to walking through the chickenyard at home and occasionally making a suggestion or two which somewhat astonished his wife.

He was hoping eventually to become so "up on chickens" that he would be able to tell her a few things about raising them and then declare boldly in favor of conducting a regular chicken business on a scale large enough to make the profits worth while. So, he was biding his time.

And the other day in his office he became much interested in an article in one of the journals to the effect that as soon as a hen had stopped laying with regularity she should be sold for table purposes. "Non-paying boarders" the article called such hens when, their laying days over with, they were allowed to live and eat their share of the daily rations. Perhaps a few should be saved to serve as mothers in the Spring when the new hatches were out of the incubators; but even this was something of an extravagance. Of course the article went into the matter exhaustively; but the above was the substance of what impressed Mr. Townbred so profoundly.

So, forthwith, he decided to act. Leaving the office a little early he went down along Commission Row, near the City Market, and presently found a fat, perspiring and somewhat soiled commission merchant who seemed to have the time and inclination to spare him a few minutes at least. Mr. Townbred sailed right in as though he had been raising chickens all his life and asked what price the commission merchant was paying for hens a year and a half old, stating also that he would have a number of them to sell within a few days.

The fat merchant looked at him quickly, blinked a few times and concealed a smile as he replied that the market price of the day of sale would determine that. Then he added that he would be glad to take the chickens, and gave Mr. Townbred several of his shipping tags.

But Mr. Townbred wasn't content. He felt that, since this was his first venture in the poultry business, it was up to him to drive a good bargain and show Mrs. Townbred how capable he was of handling such matters. So he insisted that the merchant fix a price—an approximate one, anyway.

Then He Added That He Would Be Glad To Take The Chickens.

The fat dealer tilted his hat farther back on his head and grinned, stating that he wasn't a prophet and that were he able to foretell market price of chickens or any other commodity in advance he'd clean up a couple of times and retire from business. But, as a guess, he'd venture, say, eighteen a pound. And with that Mr. Townbred had to be content.

Arriving at Five Oaks he straightway set to work. But he did it discreetly. On a pretext, he had Mrs. Townbred accompany him to the chicken yard, where John was giving the feathered treasures their evening feed.

"Don't they look fine, Ruthvin?" asked Mrs. Townbred. "Really, there isn't any one around here who has chickens equal to ours."

"Yes, they certainly do, Frieda," replied Mr. Townbred. "John is taking mighty good care of them." Then, casting his eye about critically, he waited just the proper time and added, "But it seems to me you have a lot of old hens here that can't be earning their salt."

Mrs. Townbred looked up at him in surprise. "Yes, I dare say you're right," she agreed slowly. "But—"

"Are those old birds laying, John," asked Mr. Townbred, determined to drive home his point and drive it quickly. "Take that old Rhode Island Red over there—she looks to me as though she has passed her laying days."

"You mean Biddy, sah?" said John. "Well, sah, she ain't drappin' a whole lot of aigs now. But she—"

"Then she's eating her head off!" declared Mr. Townbred promptly, turning to Mrs. Townbred. "She's what you might call a—a—er—a non-paying boarder. Now, of course I know nothing about chickens, my dear, but it seems to me that isn't good business!"

Mrs. Townbred smiled. "Of course it isn't, Ruthvin, if you consider it only from the standpoint of eggs."

"She's de oldes' one ob de lot," said John hopefully. "But she am a powerful fine mother, sah. She done riz erbout two dozen ob dese fine pullets runnin' eround heah—en she riz 'em right!"

"Seems to me, Frieda," suggested Mr. Townbred, "it might be wise to gather up all these old hens that have passed their laying days and send them into market—chicken's right high now."

"Oh, that doesn't really pay, Ruthvin," said Mrs. Townbred. "Why, I don't believe we'd average more than thirty-five cents net apiece for them."

"'Scuse me, Mr. Townbred," said John, shifting his weight to the other foot and hanging his head, "but Ah'd hate t'see dem hens sent to market. Yassah, dat Ah would! Ah done riz dem mahsef en Ah feeds dem en dey knows me—yassah, dey knows me by name! Specially Biddy! Yassah!"

Mr. Townbred, by main force, kept back a smile and tried to speak sternly. "That's all right, John, for you to be interested in them in that way," he said, "but it costs money to feed those hens—and they are losing money for us. You can't have any sentiment in the chicken business, John!"

"Yassah, yassah," answered John sadly.

"Now," continued Mr. Townbred turning to his wife, "I've made all arrangements with a commission merchant to ship all of our old hens into him tomorrow or the next day and he'll sell them for us."

"You — you — you've what?" exclaimed Mrs. Townbred.

So Mr. Townbred explained again, and by way of additional information displayed the shipping tags.

"We'll do nothing of the sort!" declared Mrs. Townbred in positive tones. "Since when, may I ask, have you been running this place? Do you think I'd sell my good hens for any such price as that commission merchant would give? Market-price? Yes—minus his commission, and freight and hauling charges and war tax and—no indeed!"

John's face broke into a broad grin—he wouldn't lose his chickens after all!

"Two months from now, Ruthvin," she continued, "chicken will be way up—why, ones of this size will cost us seventy-five or eighty cents. Now you let me run this—I've already planned that during the winter we'll kill and eat these hens as we need them, instead of spending good money to buy chicken."

John's face fell. And he glanced sorrowfully at Biddy, his favorite.

"I've Made All Arrangements With A Commission Merchant To Ship Our Old Hens Into Him Tomorrow."

"But—but—I told him I'd send them in," objected Mr. Townbred, "and he'll be looking for them tomorrow—"

"Well" replied Mrs. Townbred firmly, "he can keep on looking, but he won't find any of my chickens! That's final! Do I tell you how to run your office, Ruthvin? And didn't you agree from the start that I should manage the place, chickens and all, without interference? Well—then—"

"Very well, Frieda—very well!" exclaimed Mr. Townbred. "It's the last time I shall attempt to help you out. I don't want to run the place; but I do know that the poultry journal I've been reading says—"

"Poultry journal!" cried Mrs. Townbred, in pleased and amazed tones. "Do you mean to say you've been reading a poultry journal? Oh, Ruthvin, I'm so glad! You are really becoming interested? I can hardly believe it! I've wanted you to be for so long—so that we might run the place together and talk over things and plan and—and—come into the house now and I'll show you in figures why I think it better business to save and fatten these hens for our own use rather than to sell them now—I'm simply delighted!"

"Huh!" said John to himself, as Mr. and Mrs. Townbred, arm in arm, walked away toward the house. And again, "Huh! Ah 'spects dey's some ob dese hens gwinter be et. But Ah 'lows old Biddy ain't gwinter ter be one ob dem—no, sah, not ef Ah has to rob every hen-house in dis country ter keep Misus Townbred in chicken dis winter! Old Biddy gwinter die—natchally, ain't you Biddy?"

And Biddy cocked her head on one side, regarded John a moment solemnly and then clucked as though she thoroughly understood and—approved!

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LITTLE FABLES OF THE BUSINESS WORLD

A Difference

THERE was once a certain Young Man who was not only a Hog for Work himself, but also Doped it that Nobody Else had any right to Loaf on the Job. He wasn't in Business for himself, but he did hold down a Job which gave him the Say-So over a number of other employes. In fact, it was a Right Hefty one and he was Virtually his own Boss.

Did he Abuse it? Did he take it Easy? Nary an Abuse; nor any Ease. He worked like a Pile Driver and Drove himself Harder than he did any who had to Take Orders from him.

Not that he was a Slave-Driver. He wasn't, for the simple reason that he hadn't quite that much Authority. The other chaps were all Specialists in their line, more or less, and he was sort of the Filing and Book-Keeping office that put System and Record into their Work. So they never really Trembled for their Jobs so far as he was Concerned.

Now, they were not Loafers, for they brought in Big Money for the Boss and Worked when they did work. But they knew their own Value and didn't figure that they had any By-the-Clock Job. Out of the office nearly All Day, they managed to sandwich in a few Comforts along with their Labors. For example, if one of them wanted an hour-and-a-half for Lunch, he wasn't Scared Green lest he be Called Down for taking more than a Half-Hour. And every now and then, when Business was Slack, they'd take an Afternoon Off and just Monkey Around.

This certain Young Man of ours had it Lodged in his Bean that to really Work a chap should be Doing Something all the time, no matter what, during Working Hours. Which, no doubt, is a Good Theory for a man who is content to be a Cog in his Firm's machine.

The fact that a fellow Landed a ten thousand dollar order of a morning, for instance, was no Reason Why in his opinion Said Fellow should take the afternoon off to Celebrate. Even if that Fellow couldn't find any more Prospective Customers in and ready to talk, he ought to spend the time at his Desk in the Office looking like a Busy Man at least—so Our Hero argued.

Wherefor, he used to Delight in telling the rest of them what Loafers they were and what an Easy Time they had. Most of the time he was Smiling when he said it—but it did Rankle in his Breast and Stir up his Bump of Envy. And, though he tried to, he couldn't find any Justification for their Conduct. In fact, he couldn't even see how a Fellow could Bring Himself to Act That Way.

Now, it happened, one of these Fellows was a Golf Fiend. Indeed, it had him Going. And he lost no Opportunity of an afternoon to Sneak off a little Early and hie himself to the Links. He was one of the best Business Getters in the Office, and he Earned every penny of his Salary, but—he would have his Golf. He, naturally, came in for the Bulk of Our Hero's facetious Remarks.

One day, said Fiend got O. H. when he wasn't Looking, so to speak. That is, he caught him in a Moment when the Business Bee wasn't Buzzing away inside his Noodle. Said Fiend urged him to close down his Desk and go out to the Country Club with him for a Breath of Fresh Air. And, fiend-like, he kept on until he Put if Over.

Our Hero went, feeling as though he were Robbing the Firm of a Million Dollars. But—to his Amazement—he enjoyed himself. Nothing would do but that he must Take a Club and Whang away at the ball. Said Fiend stood by to give him Pointers and Encouragement.

After Three Holes O. H. made up his mind he could Make the rest of them in Fewer Strokes. And he Became really interested. That was the End, of course. They had to fairly Drag him off the Links that evening.

Today, said Fiend isn't even in his Class. O. H. has applied his Principles of Business to the Grand Old Game and he Works hard at it. While he doesn't Skimp his work at the Office, he's possessed with a Fiendish Desire to Do it Quick and then Get Out.

He Gets, too!

Moral—Never whang at a golf ball—not even once!

He made up his mind he could make the rest of them in fewer strokes.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON MAKES SMALL GAIN

Early Trading Carried Prices About $2.50 a Bale Over Tuesday's Low Level But Later Weakened.

New York, Nov. 11.—A further advance in the cotton market during today's early trading carried January contracts up to 11.90 or about $2.50 per bale above Tuesday's low level, but prices later weakened with January selling at 11.76, or practically last night's closing figures. The close was steady at a net gain of 3 to 5 points.

The market opened firm, 10 to 12 points higher. After some irregularity as a result of realizing prices were 13 to 16 points above last night's close during the middle of the morning. Firmness in Liverpool, bullish overnight spot advices from the South, and official predictions for freezing weather in parts of Oklahoma stimulated the buying movement. Covering was active on the upward movement which carried December contracts up to 11.71 and March to 12.12 or about 13 to 16 points net higher, and some of the buying here from houses with Liverpool connections suggested that hedges against cotton held in the South were being transferred to Liverpool and might be followed by a bulge in the export movement owing to the wider differences. The buying for long account however, failed to broaden as rapidly as some had evidently anticipated and as soon as business began to taper off, offerings increased with prices later selling back to about last night's closing figures under heavy realizing.

Closed steady:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	11.68	11.74	11.63	11.65
January	11.85	11.90	11.76	11.80
March	12.05	12.12	11.97	12.01
May	12.21	12.26	12.10	12.13
July	12.28	12.30	12.17	12.13

Spot cotton steady; middling uplands 11.85; sales 1,400.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 11.38; receipts, 5,597; exports, 434; sales, 1,895; stock, 273,263.

Galveston—Middling, 11.50; receipts, 6,854; exports, 8,211; sales, 206; stock, 278,853.

Mobile—Middling, 11.12; receipts, 531; sales, 25; stock, 20,057.

Savannah—Middling, 11.50; receipts, 4,062; sales, 2,392; stock, 265,818.

Charleston—Middling, 11½; receipts, 931; stock, 90,687.

Wilmington — Receipts, 768; stock, 40,149.

Norfolk — Middling, 11.31; receipts, 2,048; sales, 873; stock, 68,028.

Baltimore—Stock, 2,682.

Boston—Middling, 11.75; exports, 141; stock, 5,100.

Philadelphia — Middling, 12.10; receipts, 88; exports, 700; stock, 1,509.

New York—Middling, 11.85; exports, 280; sales, 1,400; stock, 296,996.

Minor Ports—Stock, 44,198.

Total today—Receipts, 20,879; exports, 9,736; stock, 1,827,340.

Total for week—Receipts, 163,538; exports, 123,810.

Total for season—Receipts, 2,549,010; exports, 1,522,745.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 11.35; receipts, 6,693; shipments, 7,629; sales, 592; stock, 182,399.

Memphis—Middling, 11.50; receipts, 12,531; shipments, 5,441; sales, 3,100; stock, 226,680.

Augusta — Middling, 11.38; receipts, 2,645; shipments, 543; sales, 516; stock, 177,758.

St. Louis — Middling, 11¾; receipts, 9,144; shipments, 7,907; stock, 10,445.

Cincinnati — Receipts, 2,057; shipments, 1,702; stock, 10,662.

Little Rock—Middling, 11.63; receipts, 1,929; shipments, 422; sales, 422; stock, 31,706.

Dallas—Middling, 11.00.

Montgomery—Middling, 11.13; sales, 193.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Expectations of Freezing Weather Cause Rise in Price.

New Orleans, Nov. 11.—Cotton advanced nearly a dollar a bale today on expectations of freezing weather in the northern portion of the belt today, but at the highest levels large offerings from realizing longs made their appearance and finally the market weakened under heavy selling based on the rumor that the Suez canal had been closed to traffic. Last prices were at an advance of 1 to 3 points over yesterday's close.

The opening was higher owing to the threatening weather map. Bulls argued that the storm crossing the country would bring rain to a large part of the cotton belt and that the cold wave immediately following the storm would result in a wet freeze. Reports from the Panhandle of Texas indicated practically freezing temperatures there. Prices advanced until they were 15 to 19 points up.

In the morning buying was stimulated to some extent by reports of a good spot demand at an advance of 25 points. Following the quoting of prices only 13 points up, considerable cotton was unloaded by disappointed longs. At the close prices were at about the level of yesterday's close.

Closing bids: December 11.45; January 11.64; March 11.89; May 12.06; July 12.14.

Spot cotton firm, 13 points up; sales on the spot 1,595 bales; to arrive 300 bales; middling 11.38.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 11. — Cotton, spot, steady; good middling, 7.32; middling, 6.98; low middling, 6.50. Sales, 14,000; for speculation and export, 1,500. Receipts, 10,000.

Futures, very steady. November, 6.87½; November-December, 6.86½; December-January, 6.81½; January-February, 6.84½; February-March, 6.83; March-April, 6.81½; April-May, 6.80; May-June, 6.78½; June-July, 6.75; July-August, 6.71½; August-September, 6.59; September-October, 6.49; October-November, 6.45.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS.

New York, Nov. 11. — Cotton goods were generally steady today. Duck discounts were shortened again and fancy cotton goods advanced steadily. Men's wear markets were very firm and some large mills withdrew all woolen lines for spring. Raw silk advanced again and on some grades was quoted higher than in eight years.

WHEAT MARKET WAS WEAK

Caused by Estimates of Heavy Export Stock in Canada—Prices of Corn and Oats Also Down.

Chicago, Nov. 11. — Estimates that Canadian farmers have four times more wheat for export than was the case a year ago, led to a weak finish in the wheat market today, notwithstanding that prices during most of the session had shown decided strength. The close varied from ⅛@¼c. off to a like advance, as compared with last night. Corn lost ½ to ⅝c. net, and oats ⅛@¼c. In provisions the outcome ranged from 22½ decline to a rise of 17½.

Grain and provisions:

Wheat — December, 1.03½; May, 1.04⅞.

Corn—December, 59⅞; May, 62¾.

Oats—December, 38¼; May, 39½.

Pork — December, 14.07; January, 16.30.

Lard—January, 8.92; May, 9.00.

Ribs—January, 8.90; May, 9.05.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 3, red, 1.07@1.10; No. 3, hard, 1.01¾@1.06.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, old, 66; No. 2, white, old, 64¾@65; No. 3, yellow, new, 62; No. 3, white, new, 60.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Cherokee, Capt. Bunnell, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

Str. Matilda Weems, Capt. Hall, Georgetown, Baltimore and Carolina Steamship Co.

Cleared.

Schr. Salisbury, 485 tons, Capt. Gantt, Jacksonville, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,289 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Keil (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

Str. Moorby (Br.), 1,673 tons, Davies, Alex. Sprunt & Sons.

Str. Milton (Br.), 2,094 tons, Williams, Henry Whyte, agent.

Str. Alcana (Ital.), 2,246 tons, Gazzolo, Alex. Sprunt & Sons.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady. 56½.

ROSIN—$5.05, $4.95.

TAR—$2.50-11c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.25, $3.25, $3.25.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 43. Rosin, $3.25. Tar, $2.15-9½c. Crude turpentine, firm, $3.25, $3.25, $3.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 14
Rosin 82
Tar 4
Crude Turpentine 2

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 1 cask; rosin, (—) barrels; tar, 165 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—11¼c. Quotations same day last year, 7¼.

Receipts—768 bales. Same day last year, 1,992 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 109,427 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 46,793 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington, Nov. 11.

A. C. L.—619 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 5 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—149 bales cotton.

Ruth Darling—12 casks spirits turpentine; 77 barrels rosin.

Total—768 bales cotton; 14 casks barrels turpentine; 82 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Nov. 11.—North Carolina Peanuts—New crop, market, firm. Fancy hand-picked, 85c.; No. 1, machine picked, 80c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—New crop, weaker. Jumbos, 66c.; fancy hand-picked, 55c.; No. 1, machine-picked, 50c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — New crop, firm; No. 1, small, machine-picked, 80c.; Jumbos, 75c. per bushel.

All receipts light.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 11.)

CORN—$2.20 per sack.

IRISH POTATOES—80c to 90c.

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 45c to 50c per bushel.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@11c. per pound.

SHEEP—Gross: Old sheep, 3@4c.; lambs, 3@5c. lb.

WOOL—Burry, 19 to 28c.; black wool, 17 to 20c; first class white wool, 27c.; free, 27c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c.; dry flint, 17@20c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 20c.; sides and shoulders, 16c. per lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 00c; spring, 15@35c per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—24c to 25c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 11. — Spanish: Farmers' stock: Old peanuts, first quality, 80c. per bu.; old, damaged, 40c to 50c. per bu.; new, dry and clean, 90c. per bu; new, green and dirty, 50c to 75c per bu.

Virginias—Farmers' stock: Old peanuts, Fancy Jumbo, 3¼c. per lb.; old, extra prime, 3c. per lb.; old, shelling stoik, 2½c. per lb.; new fancy Jumbo, 3¼c. per lb.; new, extra prime, 3c. per lb.; new, prime, 2¾c. per lb.; new, shelling stock, 2½c. per lb.

SPECIALTIES AGAIN RISE

Investment Issues Inclined to Waver Under Realizing Sales—Automobile Stocks Strong.

New York, Nov. 11.—The tendency of today's market was disappointing to the conservative interests which welcomed yesterday's general rise in standard shares. Investment issues were inclined to waver on realizing sales, while specialties, aprticularly automobile stocks, were again under the influence of manipulation at further sensational advances.

General Motors made an extreme gain of 25 to the new high price of 400, Willys-Overland was up 23 to 235 and the Maxwell group registered gains of 2 to 5 points. Studebaker, Baldwin, Locomotive, Lackawanna Steel, Crucible Steel, New York Air Brake, Continental Can and American rose 3 to 6 points. United States Steel and the metal stocks constituted the other features of strength, coppers coming forward with a rush in the final hour on an advance to 18 1-2 cents in the price of refined metal. Canaconda rose 1 3-4 to the new high quotation of 87 1-2 and American Smelting gained a total of 5 1-2 to 99 7-8, its best price since 1910.

There were resultory upward movements in oils. Bethlehem Steel continued to reflect its feverish course of th previous day, rising 5 to 435 at the opening, yielding to 412 1-2 and closing at its opening price.

Rails were under restraint throughout, probably as a result of further European selling. A considerable part of London's offerings were reported to be for Dutch account.

Foreign exchange was visibly strengthened by the new commercial credit established between this center and London, but Paris checks were a trifle easier.

Mercantile Marine 4 1-2s were the conspicuous feature of the bond division, that issue rising 4 3-4 points to 94 3-4 on extensive "future" sales.

Total sales par value were $7,230,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	31¼
American Beet Sugar	67¼
American Can	60⅜
American Car and Foundry	82½
American Cities, pfd	46
American Cotton Oil, ex. div	58
American Locomotive	64⅛
American Smelting	98⅝
American Sugar	116¾
American Tel and Tel	128
American Tobacco	232
Anaconda Copper	87
Atchison	108
Atlantic Coast Line	115
Baldwin Locomotive	115½
Baltimore and Ohio	94⅞
Bethlehem Steel	435
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	90
Canadian Pacific	185¾
Central Leather	57¾
Chesapeake and Ohio	62
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	95
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	20¾
Consolidated Gas	142½
Crucible Steel	73½
Erie	42⅜
General Electric	177½
General Motors	394
Great Northern, pfd	125¼
Illinois Central	108
Interborough Consol. Corp	22⅝
Kansas City Southern	32⅞
Lehigh Valley	80¾
Louisville and Nashville	125
Liggett and Myers	246¼
Lorillard Co	183
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	16
Mex. Petroleum	89⅝
National Lead	66⅝
New York Central	102⅛
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	80⅝
Norfolk and Western	119½
Northern Pacific	115¾
Pennsylvania	59¾
Reading	82
Rep. Iron and Steel	50⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	105¾
Seaboard Air Line	19
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	42
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	57⅞
Studebaker Corporation	154
Southern Pacific	102⅜
Southern Railway	24⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	62
Tennessee Copper	56
Texas Co	168¼
Texas and Pacific	15⅞
Union Pacific	137¼
United States Rubber	54¼
United States Steel	87¼
United States Steel, pfd	116¾
Utah Copper	74⅜
Virginia-Caro. Chem	48¼
Western Union	87¾
Westinghouse Electric	68⅛
Great Northern Ore	48⅝
Va. I., C. and C.	65½
Wabash, B. W. I.	30
Missouri Pacific	7⅝

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, November 11. — Cotton seed oil was higher on buying by the South and covering of shorts, inspired by advancing crude values and high price of seed. Final prices were 12 to 16 points net higher. Sales, 20,000 barrels. The market closed firm. Spot, 7.80 bid; November, 7.82@7.85; December, 7.79@7.80; January, 7.80@7.81; February, 7.85@7.90; March, 7.89@7.90; April, 7.93@7.97; May, 8.00@8.02; June, 8.06@8.07.

Total sales, 19,700.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11. — Mercantile paper, 3@3¼. Sterling, sixty day bills, 4.6150; demand, 4.6550; cables, 4.6650. Bar silver, 50¼. Mexican dollars, 38¼. Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds, strong. Time loans, steady; sixty and ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3 per cent. Call money, steady; high, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 1¾; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Nov. 11. — Turpentine, quiet, 57; sales, —; receipts, 428; shipments, —; stock, 12,442.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,094; receipts, 2,079; shipments, —; stock, 66,076. Quote: A, B, C, D, 4.90@5.00; E, F, 4.95@5.00; G, H, 5.00; I, 5.00@5.05; K, 5.40; M, 6.20; N, 6.55; W G, 6.65; W W, 6.95.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

November 12, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 48 degrees; at 8 P. M., 65 degrees; maximum, 75 degrees; minimum, 46 degrees; mean, 56 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, .00 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday 3 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Fair Friday except showers in extreme west portion; Saturday fair and colder.

The Port Calendar, Nov. 12, 1915.

Sun rises . . . . . 6:42 A. M.
Sun sets . . . . . 5:10 P. M.
Day's length . . . . . 10 hrs. 28 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	1:12	2:09	8:42	9:21
Southport	11:56	11:57	5:37	6:29
Masonboro Inl	11:45	11:46	5:17	6:09

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

November 11, 1915.

STATIONS:	Temperature: Weather at 8 P. M.	Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 p.m.
Abilene	cldy	70	56	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	66	50	.0
Atlanta	clear	66	56	.0
Augusta	clear	74	56	.0
Birmingh	clear	80	64	.0
Boston	clear	54	40	.0
Charleston	cldy	74	60	.0
Charlotte	clear	72	44	.0
Chicago	clear	68	58	.01
Galveston	clear	82	76	.0
Jacksonv	pt cldy	80	70	.02
Memphis	rain	76	60	.48
Mobil...e	clear	80	68	.0
Montgom'y	clear	82	62	.0
New Orl	clear	82	70	.0
New York	cldy	56	40	.0
Oklahoma	clear	60	50	.30
Palestine	cldy	76	72	.04
Pittsburg	clear	74	50	.0
Raleigh	pt cldy	72	44	.0
Savannah	cldy	72	68	.0
Shreveport	rain	88	72	.02
St. Louis	clear	66	62	.42
Washing'n	pt cldy	64	36	.0

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Nov. 11. — Hogs — Lower. Bulk, 6:30@6:85; light, 5.95@6.95; mixed, 6.10@7.15; heavy, 6.05@7.20; rough, 6.05@6.25; pigs, 3.75@6.00.

Cattle — Firm. Native beef steers, 6.00@10.40; cows and heifers, 2.75@8.10; calves, 6.50@10.50.

Sheep—Weak. Wothers, 5.85@6.30; ewes, 3.80@5.70; lambs, 7.00@9.15.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, November 11. — Coffee—Rio, No. 7, 7¾. Futures, easy. December, 6.70; May, 6.80.

Sugar—Raw, firm; centrifugal, 96 test, 5.01; molasses sugar, 4.24; refined, firm, 10 points higher.

Butter—Easy.

Cheese—Steady.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of and pursuant to a decree of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, sitting in bankruptcy, in a cause therein pending entitled "In the Matter of G. Henry Haar, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy," the undersigned duly elected Trustee in Bankruptcy will on Monday, the 29th day of November, 1915, at 12 o'clock M., at the court house door in New Hanover County, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder, those certain tracts or parcels of land situated in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows:

FIRST TRACT.

Beginning at a point in the Northern line of Pender Ave., 82 ft. 6 in. East from the Northeast intersection of Pender Ave. and 20th Street and running thence North parallel to 20th Street 113 ft. to an alley; thence East parallel to Pender Ave. 49 ft. 6 in.; thence South parallel to 20th Street 113 ft. to the Northern line of Pender Ave.; thence West along Pender Ave. 49 ft. 6 in. to the beginning. Being all of Lot 9, and East half of Lot 10, in Block 21, according to the map of Carolina Place, which map is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, in Book 48, at page 180.

SECOND TRACT.

Beginning at a point in the Northern line of Princess Street 99 ft. East from the Northeast intersection of 16th and Princess Streets, and running thence North parallel to 16th Street 165 ft. to a ten foot alley; thence East parallel to Princess Street 33 ft.; thence South parallel to 16th Street 165 ft. to the Northern line of Princess Street; thence West along Princess Street 33 ft. to the beginning. Being part of Lots 3, 4 and 5, in Block 481, according to the official plan of Wilmington.

THIRD TRACT.

All of the right, title and interest of said Trustee in and to the following tract:

Beginning at a point in the Western line of Fifth Street 104 ft. South from its intersection with the Southern line of Nun Street, and running thence westwardly parallel to Nun Street 165 ft.; thence Southwardly parallel to Fifth Street 28 ft.; thence eastwardly parallel to Nun Street 165 ft. to the Western line of Fifth Street; thence Northwardly along the Western line of Fifth Street 28 ft. to the beginning, together with the right to use in common with the owner of the lot immediately North of this tract an alley 10 ft. in width and extending in depth 165 ft. This tract is subject to a mortgage to Wilmington Homestead & Loan Association for $1,000, and to a mortgage to Mary E. Sweeney for $750, and to the Homestead allotment of said G. Henry Haar as the same are recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County.

The second tract above described is subject to a mortgage to Wilmington Homestead & Loan Association of $600, as the same is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County.

This sale is made subject to confirmation by the Court. The bidding on the tract first above described will begin at $335.50. The bidding on the tract second above described will begin at $1,141.25.

FRANK HERBST,
Trustee.

Dated this October 27th, 1915.

Robert Ruark, Attorney for Trustee.

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No. 55. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Pullman Cars between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 59. 6:30 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
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In Effect October 11, 1915.

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EASTBOUND: Leave Front and for Winter Park	Leave Front and for Wrightsville	Leave... Front and for Beach	WESTBOUND: Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington
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a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a7:36 A. M.	a7:25 A. M.	.....
6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.	8:01 A. M.	7:50 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
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8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	9:36 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
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11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	12:36 P. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
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11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	12:21 A. M.	12:10 A. M.	12:00 M.

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ASHEVILLE SELECTED FOR NEXT CONVENTION

National Guard Refuses to Endorse Continental Army.

General Hamilton's Resolution Turned Down Because He was Not Delegate to Convention—Officers Were Elected.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—Refusal to endorse President Wilson's proposal for a continental army of 400,000 men marked the closing session today of the 17th annual convention of the National Guard Association of the United States. Asheville, N. C., was selected as the meeting place for 1916, the date to be decided later by the executive committee.

A resolution proposing that the association approve President Wilson's plan was offered by General Henry D. Hamilton, of New York. The resolution was referred to a committee without debate.

Officers of the organization gave as an explanation why General Hamilton's proposition was not acted upon favorably the fact that General Hamilton, although a member of the association, was not a delegate to the convention. In recommending that the resolution be tabled the legislative committee reported: "The committee is of the opinion that the resolution presented was considered by the committee in its report and that there is no necessity for taking further action."

It was said the National Guard Association was opposed to the continentar army plan because it was believed it would conflict with the organization. Some of the officers contended that if a larger reserve force was to be provided, it should be done under guidance of the national guard.

General Thomas G. Stewart, of Pittsburg, Pa., was re-elected president of the association for the seventh term. Other officers elected follow: Gen. Guy F. Logan, Des Moines, Ia., secretary; Gen. Joseph A. Storch, Fullerton, Neb., treasurer.

Among the vice presidents chosen were the following: Gen. C. C. Vaughn, Richmond, Va.; Gen. William W. Moore, Columbia, S. C.; Gen. Charles Macklin, Annapolis, Md.

ROOSEVELT'S NAME GETS IN TESTIMONY

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proposition was in the highest way prejudicial to public interest, if he should get a monopoly of the whole coastwise trade as he was aiming to do. He said he was fearful of the success of the Morse combintion and Herbert Knox Smith was especially so."

"And Messrs. Knapp and Prouty agreed with him?" interposed R. V. Lindabury, of the defense.

"They did," said the witness, adding that in his opinion, the assurance given by the President was one reason why the New Haven Steamship lines were not included in the bill in equity brought against the New Haven in 1909.

The government maintains, however, that the assurance given by President Roosevelt was meant to apply solely to the proposed legislation and not acts of the New Haven amenable to the Sherman law.

Make Roosevelt Co-Conspirator.

"May I ask," interrupted DeLancey Nicoll, of the defense, "that when the government again comes to amend the bill of particulars they make Theodore Roosevelt a co-conspirator?" This remark caused laughter in the court room.

Mr. Mellen again today proved a hostile witness in the opinion of the government counsel. Attorney Batts complained that he was unable to elicit satisfactory testimony from the witness except in instances where proof could be obtained through other sources.

DEATHS BY WIND STORM IN KANSAS REMAINS AT EIGHT.

Hundreds of Homes Wrecked—Passes Over Several Towns.

Kansas City, Nov. 11.—The number of dead in the wind storm which swept over Central Kansas early last night, wrecking hundreds of homes in its course through several towns, remained at eight tonight. Communication with all but a few outlying sections of the stricken district were re-established late today. Many persons at first believed dead, were later found buried in the ruins of their homes and rescued alive.

Although the damage was greatest in Great Bend, where a path three blocks wide was cut by a tornado, reports tonight show that Zyba, Kas., was the most thoroughly wrecked town in the storm's course. Every building in Zyba, a town of 200 population, is said to have suffered. Three persons were killed there and several injured.

Great Bend late today began cleaning up the debris. A company of the Kansas National Guard assisted in pulling down dangerous ruins. The city is without light or water. Two persons were killed, eight seriously injured and 75 suffered minor hurts.

STATE NEGOTIATES LOAN AT REMARKABLY LOW RATE

Borrows $375,000 in New York for Four Months at 2 7-8 Per Cent.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 11.—State Treasurer Lacy has just negotiated a $375,000 loan for the State from Northern bankers at the remarkably low rate of 2 7-8 per cent, the lowest rate the State has ever secured before having been 3 1-2 per cent. Some days ago the Council of State authorized the loan to be negotiated at 3 per cent, but the State Treasurer went one better and secured the 2 7-8 rate, which is for a period of four months. The money is to take up notes maturing that were given last June in order that the State institutions might have their special appropriations without waiting for the State revenue from the payment of the taxes.

Wrestling Tonight.

Leo Pardello, Italian heavyweight champion, against Fritz Hanson, Woolvin Hall tonight.

(Advertisement.)

PANIC ON BOARD THE ANCONA CAUSED LOSS OF MANY PASSENGERS

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agents of the line in New York were unable tonight to give any details. The agents said they had received no official word as to the sinking of the Ancona. The Italian consul general, likewise, was without information.

Telegraphic inquiries came from all parts of the country, asking about persons who were thought to have sailed for Ne wYork on the Ancona. Most of these inquiries came from Italians who were unable to say definitely whether their friends sailed on the Ancona.

GRAVE INTEREST IN WASHINGTON

Attitude of United States Government Not Determined.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Official reports describing exactly how the Italian liner Ancona was destroyed still were unavailable today, and Secretary Lansing refrained from expressing any opinion as to the attitude of the United States. Press reports indicating that the Ancona was given warning but that many pessengers were lost as a result of shots fired by the attacking submarine after the liner came to a halt, were read here with grave interest. High officials of the American government hold that when heeding a warning a belligerent merchantman is entitled to sufficient time to place non-combatants in a place of safety, and that the fact that a vessel previously attempting to escape does not invalidate that right.

Only Informal Discussions.

Many phases of the question were discussed informally by officials but with the reservation that formal comment on action necessarily must await detailed reports from Ambassador Page at Rome and American consuls in Italy and North Africa. So far it has been impossible to ascertain definitely the number of American citizens lost.

Conflicting reports concerning the colors raised by the submarine attracted much attention. If one report that the submarine flew a German flag is confirmed, officials said this would be considered as an act sufficient to serve notice that Italy and Germany were at war. There never has been any declaration of war between the two countries so far as the State Department is advised, and the custom has been in cases of this kind to await some overt act as an evidence of the state of hostilities.

Would Be Taken Up Immediately.

Should it be developed that the submarine was manned by a German naval force and flew a German flag, it is considered certain that the question will be made the subject of immediate diplomatic correspondence by the United States with the German foreign office.

Every means of clearing up such points through American diplomatic and consular sources in Italy will be exhausted, however, before either the Austrian or German government is approached.

WAS GIVEN NO SIGNAL.

Commander Says First Sign of Submarine's Presence Was Shells.

London, Nov. 11. — A Stefani News Agency dispatch from Tunis says:

"The commander of the Ancona, who reached here Thursday, declares the submarine gave his vessel no signal to stop. The first sign of the presence of the submarine was shells from a distance of five miles, which grazed the steamer. The Ancona stopped dead.

"Subsequently, shells hit the boats, which were being made ready for launching, and many passengers were killed or wounded on the deck and in the boats. Some of the passengers who had been thrown into the water, approached the submarine, but were repelled and derided.

"Finally, shells and torpedoes were fired at the Ancona from a distance of 300 yards."

347 REPORTED SAVED.

Cablegram Says Ten Americans Were Reported Aboard Ancona.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The State Department received a cablegram from American Consul White, at Naples, today saying that the Societa Italia says 347 passengers and crew of the Ancona are reported as saved out of 496 and that the steamship officials believe that more will be reported saved.

Consul White's cablegram follows: "The Societa Italia now reports that the following American citizens were aboard the steamship Ancona: First cabin, Mrs. Cecille L. Greil; steerage, Alessandro Patattivo, wife and four children, Mrs. Francisco Mascelco Lamura and minor child, and Pasquale Laurine, and that 347 passengers and crew were reported as saved out of 496. The steamship company are confident that more will be reported as saved."

TAKING OF TESTIMONY IN SCHMIDT TRIAL HAS BEGUN

Opening Statement of Prosecuting Attorney Overruled by Judge.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 11.—Taking of testimony was begun today at the trial of Matthew A. Schmidt, charged with the murder of Charles Hagerty in connection with the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building, five years ago. The defense scored a legal point cutting short the opening statement of James W. Noel, special prosecutor, when Judge Willis ruled that Attorney Noel could not continue recital of events which took place after the Times was blown up.

As an indication of what he intended to state, Mr. Noel told the court in the absence of the jury, that the prosecution proposed to prove that after the Times explosion, J. B. McNamara, who is serving a life term in San Quentin prison, after pleading guilty of dynamiting the Times building and Ortie E. McManigal, who turned state's evidence, and who will be a witness in the present case, plotted to destroy virtually the entire city of Los Angeles.

HYDRO-AEROPLANE AT NAVAL STATION RISES 11,000 FEET

First Successful Flight of Aeroplane From Moving Cruiser.

Washington, Nov. 11.—An official hydro-aeroplane record of 11,000 feet made by Lieutenant Saufley at the Pensacola Naval Aviation station was announced tonight by the Navy Department. Because the needle of the recording machine ran off the sheet at the 9,000 foot mark, the record cannot be recognized as official. The flying boat climbed at the rate of 350 feet a minute.

Rear Admiral Benson, chief of operation, spent two days at the Pensacola station, and witnessing the successful testing of a new launching device on the aero-ship North Carolina.

SERBIANS NOW ARE FACING THE ENEMY IN THE MOUNTAINS

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the purpose of burying the dead and collecting the wounded, but only two hours was granted."

REPORT ON SERBIAN AFFAIRS.

Note is Issued From the Serbian Legation in Paris.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The Serbian legation today gave out a note issued with a view to setting at rest certain reports regarding Serbian affairs said to have originated in German sources. The statement said:

"First, General Radomir Putnik, chief of the Serbian general staff, although he has been in precarious health for a long time, continues to direct the operations of the Serbian army.

"Second, the artillery captured by the Germans at Kralievo was without importance from a military viewpoint. It was part of the spoils of two previous war and its loss does not weaken the Serbian army.

"Third, At no moment has the Serbian government thought of peace nor considered making peace before victory was won by the Allies."

SERBIAN OFFICIAL REPORT.

Communication Tells of Successes Against Invaders.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The Serbian legation today received the following official communication dated November 8.

"The enemy has succeeded in crossing the Morava of the west near Kralievo and the Morava of the south in the direction of Djunis and Leskovac.

"The enemy's attacks near Grelitza were repulsed. The fighting on the right bank of the Leskovitza river and upon the left bank of the Morava Binatchka river, each of Gnilane, has resulted in our favor. Enemy attacks toward the gorges of Katchanik were repulsed."

SKEPTICAL OF GREECE.

Italian Paper Puts Little Confidence in "Benevolent Sentiments."

Rome, via Paris, Nov. 11. — The benevolent sentiments towards the Entente Allies expressed by Greece have been received with skepticism in Italian political circles. The Messoggero says that uncensored news of events in Greece proves that it had been fear of the naval action by the Allies that has held back King Constantine and his government up to the present time."

NEW WAR COMMITTEE.

For the British Cabinet During Absence of Earl Kitchener.

London, Nov. 11. — Great Britain's new war committee of the cabinet during the temporary absence of Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, it was officially announced today, will consist of Premier Asquith, Arthur J. Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty Lloyd George, minister of munitions; Andrew Bonar-Law, secretary for the colonies, and Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer.

AMERICAN NOTE IRREFUTABLE FROM A LEGAL STANDPOINT

View Taken by Berlin Paper on Protest Sent Great Britain.

Berlin, (via London), Nov. 12.—The Vossische Zeitung says it regards the American note to Great Britain as an irrefutable document from a legal standpoint, but that everything depends upon the practical things the authors intend it to achieve "for they cannot have been in doubt that they have placed Great Britain between two alternatives—of politely rejecting the American demands or of surrendering a, the advantages which the navy gives Great Britain in her war against the Germans.

Captain Von Kuehlwetter, the Lokal Anzeiger's naval specialist, says if the note puts an end to "British arbitrariness" this result will be valuable and gratifying and probable also will have an important bearing upon future maritime war.

Captain Von Kuehlwetter thinks it is necessary to treat the note with the greatest skepticism, declaring that it does not touc hthe chief point which could check "British arbitrariness," namely that it does not dispute Great Britain's right of arbitrarily extending her list of articles of absolute contraband.

VILLA TROOPS DEFEATED IN AN ATTACK ON FUERTO.

Freight Traffic Heavy Between Vera Cruz and Mexico City.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Defeat of 3,000 Villa troops, who attacked Fuerta, Mexico, by a superior force of the de facto government, was reported today in consular dispatches. Fuerto is on the railroad northeast of Topolobampo. The attack was said to have started on Sunday.

Passenger service between Vera Cruz and Mexico City was reported to have been discontinued for a few days to assist in the movement of freight. Dispatches from Guaymas told of the landing there of 6,000 troops. The State Department received advices today that General Carranza had given assurances that the question of a settlement of the border troubles would be disposed of in a few days. Orders have been issued for the Mexican secret service to run down offenders operating near the international line. Fifteen hundred Villa deserters are reported to have crossed to the American side at Naco.

ARMY EXPENSE A BURDEN

Part of Swiss Forces Will Be Withdrawn From Frontiers.

Basil, Switz., Nov. 11.—A considerable portion of the Swiss army will be sent home from the frontiers November 17 as it appears that the government is convinced no danger of a large scale of territorial violations by the belligerents now exists. The expense of maintaining upward of 200,000 men under arms has been a trying burden.

Ample forces will be retained at strategic points. These will be capable of delivering a hard blow while a general mobilization, if such should become necessary is in progress.

WAKE FOREST VS. GALLAUDET.

Baptists' Last Game Before Thanksgiving at Home Saturday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., Nov. 11.—Wake Forest's final game before the annual Thanksgiving clash with Davidson in Charlotte will be played at home next Saturday with the Gallaudet eleven of Washington, D. C. Wofford was put down on the schedule for this date, but the two teams were unable to agree on terms and the game was called off. In the meantime Manager Wright got in touch with the management of the Gallaudet eleven with the result that they will play in Wake Forest Saturday.

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CRITICISES DELEGATES FOR ENDORSING WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Rev. C. S. Bullock Declares Question is Not Moral One.

Pittsburg, Nov. 11.—Criticism of the action of the delegates in endorsing woman suffrage at an early session marked the close of the 31st annual meeting of the Unitarian Conference of the middle states and Canada here late today. Rev. C. Seymour Bullock, of Ottawa, declared that the suffrage question was not a moral question and should not have been taken up in the councils of the church. Other delegates raised the question whether the action really represented the sentiment of Unitarians as a denomination. They pointed out that the resolution was passed at a time when only 17 of the 41 delegates were present and that only ten of those present voted in favor of suffrage.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY IN FAVOR OF DEFENSE PLANS.

Committee to Send Out Emergency Message on "Preparedness."

Atlantic City, N. J., Nov. 11.—At its closing session here today the executive committee of the Presbyterian General Assembly outlined an emergency message on "Preparedness" for extraordinary conditions expected to follow the close of the European war, which is to be sent to 10,000 pastors, President Woodrow Wilson and 49,000 other elders of the denomination.

With the declaration that in view of the present world situation a burden of great responsibility rests upon all the churches in the United States, the executive commission referred the formulation of the message to an enlarged committee. President Wilson's defense programme was declared to have the moral support of members of the executive committee.

URGE PREPAREDNESS UPON PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS

New Hampshire League for Defense Draws Resolutions.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 11. — A mass meeting held tonight under the auspices of the New Hampshire League for National Defense, with Governor Rolland H. Spaulding presiding, adopted resolutions calling upon President Wilson and the next congress "to take steps necessary to make the country impregnable against foreign assault by land or sea."

"President Wilson himself will be to blame if his programme for the army and navy is opposed," said Congressman A. P. Gardner, of Massachusetts, adding that the President had "lined up his whole outfit against preparedness last year."

OVERMAN SAYS LOBBYISTS WILL BE CLOSELY WATCHED.

Says Senate's Special Lobby Committee is Still Alive.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Careful watch will be kept on lobbyists during the coming session of Congress, according to Senator Overman, chairman of the Senate's special lobby committee. "The committee is still alive," said Mr. Overman today, "and will be kept alive for the purpose of inquiring into any insidious lobbying that may be attempted during the Congress as a result of problems growing out of the European war."

He mentioned proposals to prohibit sales of war munitions to belligerents and the National Defense programme as issues likely to draw all kinds of outside pressure upon members of Congress.

COMMENDS U. S. ON NOTE.

Hamburg Paper Says Great Britain is Exposed as Thieving Despot.

Hamburg, via London, Nov. 11.—The Hamburg Nachrichten commenting on the American note to Great Britain regarding neutral shipping says:

"Pirates, commercial robbers, law breakers and 'inelegant' extortionists are pilloried before the whole world by the note whose protests and demands are exhaustively based on existing treaties. That is the chief meaning of the note.

"What will happen further depends on how Washington is ready to act if its demands are not fulfilled. The American government does not lack the power and methods of bringing pressure to bear. For the present we are content with the characterization of Great Britain as a selfish, greedy and thieving despot on the free seas."

MERCHANT MARINE A VITAL NECESSITY

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ick H. Schoof, of Philadelphia, secretary of the association.

Election of officers will take place tomorrow, the closing day of the convention. Congressman J. Hampton Moore, president of the association, is mentioned for re-election. Boston, it was believed by many, will be selected as the meeting place for the next convention.

Secretary Daniels, who was to have addressed the convention, telegraphed today that he could not attend.

London, Nov. 12.—"Seven patients suffering from cancer have been completely cured by assisting nature's efforts," according to Dr. Robert Bell, head of the cancer research department of the Battersea general hospital.

"We have," Dr. Bell said, "been able to demonstrate beyond doubt that the healing power of nature, if sufficiently assisted by regulating the diet of patients, together with the administration of therapeutic agents, has proved in many instances quite competent, not only to overcome the disease, but to bring about complete recovery."

LIBERTY BELL STARTED ON RETURN TO PHILADELPHIA.

Thousands Line Streets as Relic is Taken to the Train.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—The Liberty bell, which has been at the Panama-Pacific Exposition several months, was started homeward today on a special train. The return trip will be via San Diego, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York and back to Philadelphia. About 75 stops will be made.

Every branch of the military and naval service was in the escort which accompanied the Liberty Bell to its "gondola" car attached to the special train which will carry a party of 40 persons on the return to Philadelphia.

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